

War Industries
To Close Oct. 11

OTTAWA (CP) — Thanks-giving Day, to be observed Monday, Oct. 11, this year, will be a statutory holiday, and is expected to be widely observed in Canada, officials said today.

The Federal civil service will take the holiday, one of the few holidays it observes in wartime. The government in an order-in-council also has recommended that employers generally observe the day, and it has been written into many employer-employee agreements as a holiday.

Most war industries are expected to close.

Famed Sealer Lost

ST. JOHNS, Nfld. (CP) — The Terra Nova, second last remaining ship of Newfoundland's original fleet of 25 sealing vessels, was lost in northern waters, but her skipper, Capt. Llewellyn Lush, and crew are safe, it was announced today.

It was not stated what present work the ship had been engaged in.

Liberated Britons Armed, Fight Nazis

BERNE (AP) — Several thousand British prisoners of war, liberated by the Badoglio government after the armistice, have succeeded in partly arming themselves and are trying to fight their way south to join the British 8th Army in Apulia, the Milan newspaper Italia reported today.

Production Climax

LONDON (CP) — Donald M. Nelson, U.S. war production chief, said today the next few months would be critical in Allied production for fashioning a killing blow at the enemy.

Italians Shanghaied

MADRID (AP) — Italian reports to Madrid today said widespread arrests among Italian factory workers by Nazi military authorities indicate the Reich has adopted another method of obtaining workers for German industry.

The arrests supposedly are made for "obstructive activity," but after a few days in prison camps special trains and trucks move the prisoners northward, presumably into Germany to work, these reports said.

New Milk Control

PHILADELPHIA (CP) — Increased milk consumption imposed a supply problem for Canada and further increases will have to be checked although rationing is looked on as "a last resort," J. P. Nadeau, deputy administrator of dairy products for the Prices Board, said today in an address to the annual convention of the International Association of Milk Control Agencies.

Laval Threatened With Blood Bath

MADRID (AP) — Reports from France today said Nazi collaborationists Pierre Laval, Marcel Deat and Jacques Doriot have received "last warning" that a "blood bath" will be loosed against France unless resistance to German occupation forces ceases.

These reports said assassination in Paris Tuesday of Julius Ritter, German labor boss for France, had inspired Nazi fury to new heights and resulted in the warning.

Spain Frees Many

MADRID (AP) — All Spanish political prisoners over 70 years of age will gain conditional liberty under new laws approved by the cabinet and announced today by Gen. Francisco Franco.

Another law granted similar freedom to 6,605 other political prisoners.

Still another decree abolished the excess profits tax of 40 to 80 per cent on all individuals, companies and corporations reporting profits of more than 7 per cent.

Medals for 2 Canadians

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC (AP) — Capt. Ross L. Blackley of Carstairs, Alta., and Staff Sgt. Lionel G. Young of Hillsdale, Ont., Canadians serving with U.S. forces in the southwest Pacific, have been awarded the American Air Medal, it was announced today by Lt. Gen. George C. Kenney, officer commanding Allied air forces.

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On the far-flung battle fronts fighting men are doing their share. Here at home, the very least we can do is to buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Naples Evacuated, Berlin Says

'Bureaucratic Controls Must Go'; Revival of Private Enterprise With Social Security, Liberal Policy

By NORMAN MACLEOD

OTTAWA—Resolutions passed by the National Liberal Federation have instructed the government to ease its wartime controls as speedily as possible, to frame a wartime code for labor and to make full employment a first charge upon the postwar national income, Liberal sources revealed today.

The resolutions were approved at this week's meeting of the federation, but were withheld from the press on the grounds that they were the federation's "instructions" to the government and were confidential between it and the ministry.

They constitute, Liberal sources here believe, an appealing program both for the winning of the war and of the peace to come with victory. The program differs from that offered by the C.C.F. Liberals contend, in the fact that it is built around a cessation of bureaucratic controls and the revival of private enterprise under conditions guaranteeing social security to the individual at the earliest possible moment.

SIX HIGHLIGHT POINTS

As disclosed by high Liberal officials, the highlights of the program communicated to the government by the federation are:

1. Full maintenance of the nation's all-out effort to win the

not extending call-up.

2. Easing of wartime controls as speedily as possible, even before the war's end if practicable, but no abandonment of the fight against inflation which is the purpose of the controls.

3. A wartime labor code enforcing recognition of labor's right to compulsory collective bargaining.

4. A "complete revision" of existing taxation policy. In such a revision the object would be to scale down sales taxes which bear on the cost of living and the income taxes in the lower brackets as soon as such action is feasible. At the same time the Federation declaredly recognized frankly that, if full employment is to be made a first charge upon the national income after the war, taxation will have to remain at a high level, with the higher and corporation incomes continuing, inferentially, to bear much of their remaining burden.

5. A policy of full society security, including adequate housing and national health legislation, and with the provision already mentioned that full employment shall be the first concern of the state.

6. A comprehensive program of development of the nation's resources designed to go far in itself to implement the policy of full employment of the nation's peacetime manpower.

Accompanying Gen. Eisenhower were Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, Allied ground commander; Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew Cunningham, commander of Allied naval forces in the Mediterranean; Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder, the Mediterranean air commander; Harold Macmillan, British minister in north Africa, and Robert Murphy, U.S. minister in north Africa.

"The principal topic of discussion was the method for making the most effective Italian military effort against the common enemy, Germany," said the official announcement.

The conference was held aboard the British battleship Nelson, flagship of Vice-Admiral A. U. Willis.

Four of the planes were German transport craft, Junkers 52s.

4 Troop Planes Bagged

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS,

NORTH AFRICA (AP)—U.S.

Rangers and Moroccan gourmiers

operating in Corsica destroyed a

German tank and a machine-gun

carrier in a raid on Barcetta,

12 miles southwest of Bastia, a

French communiqué said today.

The French Air Force, in ac-

tion over Corsica where the Ger-

mans are being steadily pushed

into the sea, shot down six Ger-

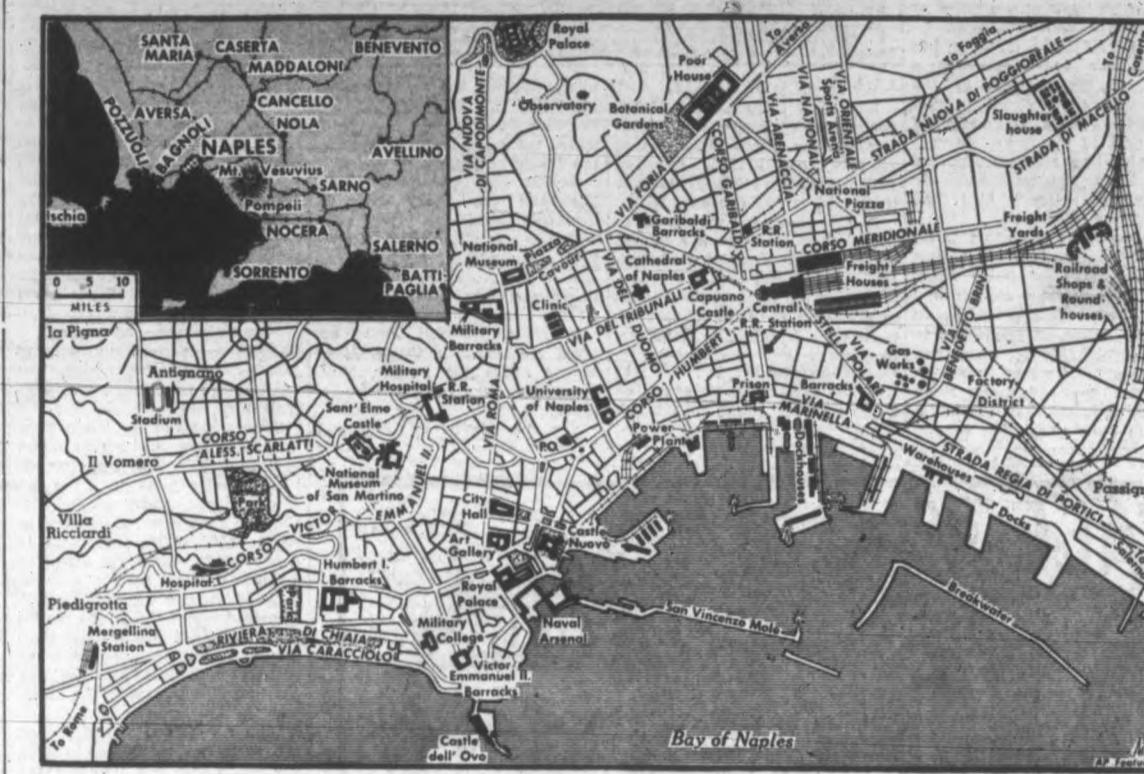
man planes.

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man transport craft, Junkers

52s.

London (CP) — The Admiralty today announced the loss of the drifter Ocean Retriever.



HISTORIC NAPLES—Italy's second port, known to world travelers.

Allied Leaders Meet Badoglio

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS,

NORTH AFRICA (AP)—Gen.

Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied

commander-in-chief in the Medi-

terranean theatre, and other Al-

lied leaders, conferred with Ital-

ian Marshal Pietro Badoglio on

military co-operation aboard a

warship at Malta Wednesday, an

official announcement said today.

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Mediterranean air commander;

Harold Macmillan, British min-

ister in north Africa, and Robert

Murphy, U.S. minister in north

Africa.

"It is questionable, certainly in

the married classes, if we shall

call up any men over 30," said

National Selective Service head-

quarters. "The percentage of

physically fit for military service,

it is considered, would be compara-

tively small."

Under present regulations,

single men from 18½ to 40 are

liable for compulsory military

training.

Fewer people will be subject

to the extra charge this year,

according to figures prepared by

the office today.

Since the beginning of the year

a total of \$1,27,881 has been

collected. That total is \$40,525,

above the \$1,087,386 received at

the corresponding date in 1942.

Call Union Parley To Prevent Strike

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Van-

couver Labor Council today sent

out a call to all unions affiliated

with the Canadian Congress of

Labor and the American Federa-

tion of Labor in British Columbia

to meet here Oct. 10 in a provin-

ce-wide conference aimed at

forestalling the threatened coal

strike of British Columbia and

Alberta miners.

W. A. Tutte, secretary of the

Labor Council, said it was under-

stood the miners had set Oct. 15 as

the deadline to meet their de-

mands for a \$2 per day boost.

New Ship Record

PORLTAND, Ore. (AP)—

Weary, tin-hatted men and

women at the Oregon Shipbuild-

ing Corporation stood by to

watch their 24th Liberty

freighter of the month slide into

the Willamette River—a national

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life and sleep to set this record.

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set out to make it 22. Officials

claim this is 50 per cent above

any other shipyard.

Arrest Follows Death

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto police today arrested Jack Logan, 65-year-old mining prospector, on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Mrs. Anne Donovan, 67, in a downtown rooming house here Wednesday night.

Russians Battle Across Dnieper—From the east bank of the Dnieper River, Russian forces are shelling and machine-gunning the Germans in Kiev, preparing for the assault which is expected to capture that great Ukrainian capital. Along stretches of the Dnieper far north and south of Kiev the Russians are feeling out the Nazi positions for the most favorable points at which to cross in force to the west bank of the river and fan out.

The swift advance constituted a potential threat to German-held Poland, 100 miles further west, and Riga,

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CAIRO (AP)—An enemy warship escorting armed merchantmen in the Aegean Sea was left almost obscured by heavy smoke and listing badly by R.A.F. Beau-fighters after a five-day hunt, an R.A.F. spokesman disclosed to-day.

Norwegian Vessel Blamed for Loss Of Tugboat Erg

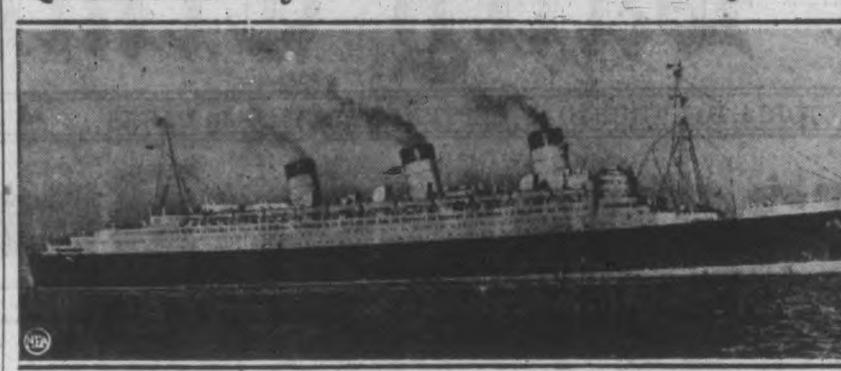
OTTAWA (CP)—Sinking of the tugboat Erg in Halifax harbor last July 6, with loss of 19 lives, was caused by "the omissions of duty, negligence and want of care and caution and poor seamanship" on the part of those charged with the responsibility of the conduct of the Norwegian ship Noreig, says the report of the formal court of investigation, made public today by Transport Minister Michaud.

"As a result the minister has ordered the suspension for a period of six months of the license of the Canadian pilot aboard the Noreig, and a copy of the report of the formal investigation has been officially referred to the Norwegian authorities for appropriate action," said Mr. Michaud's statement.

The report of the court of investigation, headed by Judge John A. Barry of Saint John, N.B., found that the captain and others aboard the Erg "did not in any way cause or contribute to the accident," said the statement.

The court did report, however, that "the Erg had many more persons on board than she had a right to have under the regula-

Queen Mary's Great War Story Told



By EDWARD BALL

LONDON (AP)—Short of her peacock elegance, the great British liner Queen Mary ranged all seven seas in 1942, carrying Allied troops to battlefronts over the world, it was disclosed today.

In one encounter with a fierce north Atlantic storm she almost capsized with thousands of Britain-bound United States soldiers.

Around the Cape of Good Hope to Suez she plied the 12,000-mile route from Britain with reinforcements governing her, but that fact was not the proximate cause, or a contributing cause, to the collision.

The role played by the great

liner as a troop transport was revealed after publication of a report telling how a German plot to sink her with 10,000 United States troops aboard was foiled with discovery of a German radio transmitter at Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Early in the summer of 1942 the Queen Mary played an important part in saving Britain's desperate position at El Alamein, the London Daily Mail's naval correspondent wrote.

"Once she steamed through a pack of submarines estimated to number about 25," he added, "and not one had time to get a torpedo trained on her."

"She went flat out from England with men and stores representing a fully equipped division. Her passage from an English port, right around the Cape to Port Suez, a distance of some 12,000 miles, was made in a few weeks—including a stop at a South African port."

"It is safe to say," the correspondent added, "that the Queen Mary played a bigger part than any other ship, and perhaps the biggest individual part of any fighting unit in saving the situation."

With a full load of U.S. troops aboard in the late winter in 1942, the writer said, the liner ran into giant storm-lashed seas which almost upset her. She was heading for a northwestern port and an enormous wave hit her broadside some 700 miles from port.

5-INCH MARGIN

"She listed until her upper decks were awash, and those who had sailed in her since she first took to the sea were convinced she would never right herself," the correspondent wrote.

"Her safety depended on no more than five inches. Had she gone those inches farther to port the Queen Mary would have been no more."

"It was only exceptional seamanship on the part of the bridge officers that saw her through that tense period," the correspondent wrote.

"By a quick turn of the helm her bow was brought head-on to this exceptional wave and she was safe."

In addition to taking Allied troops to the fighting front the Queen Mary, which has accommodations to carry 12,000 to 20,000 men, has carried to captivity thousands upon thousands of Italian and German prisoners of war.

SCORES KNOCKOUT

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP)—Tami Mauriello of New York scored a technical knockout over Gunnar Barlund of Finland Wednesday night as their heavyweight bout was halted after the eighth round because of a bad cut over Barlund's left eye. Mauriello won a similar decision in their previous meeting two years ago, when the bout was stopped in the seventh round.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Buffet Tea and Sale, S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street, for animals. Saturday, Oct. 2, 3 to 5. Admission free. Tea, 20 cents. Children, 10 cents. Come and bring your friends.

Chrysanthemum Show tomorrow, all Saturday. Crystal Garden, Belleville St. entrance. ***

No sales Friday, Oct. 1, except lavender and from window. Come to rummage sale Saturday, 9 a.m., for lots of bargains. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 737 Pandora.

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Labor Board Raps Firms Boosting Wages to Keep Men

OTTAWA (CP)—The National War Labor Board in a judgment made public Wednesday night expressed criticism of individual employers who, in their efforts to retain or attract workers, upset the wage structure of an industry and produce "unrest and dissatisfaction" among workers.

The judgment dealt with an appeal by the Vancouver local of the Moulders' and Foundry Workers' Union (C.C.L.) against a ruling of the British Columbia War Labor Board refusing a request for an increase of 15 cents an hour for several classifications of skilled workers. The national board granted an increase of six cents an hour, establishing a rate of 96 cents.

It is original application, the union had asked for increases for all classifications of workers in foundries of the Vancouver area. No increase was granted by the regional board to moulders, core-makers, electric furnaces, acetylene burners and welders, electric welders and machine moulders.

Evidence given before the national board in the appeal was that while most of these workers received 90 cents an hour, one company concerned was paying 92½ cents and two others were paying 96 cents. It was also admitted certain firms were paying production bonuses in addition to the 90 cents an hour.

The board said that granting of the full 15-cent increase would throw the whole wage structure out of line. For workers receiving a production bonus the new 96-cent rate was established conditional upon their renouncing any right to a production bonus.

"To us this seems necessary to obtain peace in the industry as far as the workers are concerned," the board said.

Drafting of Fathers Starts in U.S. While Congress Talks

WASHINGTON (AP)—With Congress still debating the wisdom of it, the draft of fathers in the United States for military service will start tomorrow, and an Associated Press survey indicates an overwhelming majority of states will start inducting family heads immediately in order to meet their quotas.

Local boards have been under orders to avoid, in so far as possible, induction of men who were fathers prior to Dec. 7, 1941, until Oct. 1. Selective service authorities contend that 446,000 fathers must go into uniform between now and the first of the year to meet the demands of the U.S. armed forces.

Draft officials of 24 states said they definitely expect to call fathers in October. Only 10 states reported they could postpone it until after Nov. 1.

(In Canada all men from 18 to 30, inclusive, are subject to military service within the Dominion, regardless of family status.)

DEPARTMENT ACTS

The U.S. War Department, which has insisted there should be no blanket deferments for any group such as fathers, indicated a willingness to act on criticisms of lawmakers who have bucked the father draft idea. General staff men, meeting with a group of Senators, discussed plans to deny government employment to any able-bodied, draft-age non-father unless he is considered indispensable, and to bar from Washington desk duty any commissioned officer in that same draft category.

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Alberta Pensioners Get \$5 Increase

EDMONTON (CP)—Hon. Solon E. Low, Alberta provincial treasurer, announced today cheques for September to nearly 11,000 Alberta old age pensioners will be for \$30. This amount includes the basic \$25 under the federal-provincial agreement, and \$5 supplementary pension paid by the Alberta government.

The total yearly amount paid to each old age pensioner in the province now will be \$360 instead of \$300. In addition, Mr. Low said, arrangements are being made by the province to pay an additional \$5 a year to each pensioner to bring the yearly total to \$365.

The minister said permission had been received from Ottawa to start increased payments at any date.

30,000,000 Face Rehabilitation in Europe After War

MONTREAL (CP)—The problem of rehabilitating 30,000,000 people torn from their homes on the continent of Europe is placed before thinkers on post-war problems by a study released today by the International Labor Office.

The figures can be placed at 40,000,000 if account is taken of all continental Europeans living away from their prewar homes, such as workers transferred within individual countries and civilian evacuees from German-built defense areas.

Repatriation alone would not solve the problem, because countries would have differing labor requirements and redistribution of labor might be necessary if full employment is to exist.

"This kind of geographical redistribution of labor, like repatriation, would call for action on an international scale," the report states. "It would call for nothing less than the organization of an international employment service."

The report estimates there are more than 1,350,000 French prisoners of war alone, in Germany. From the invasion of Russia in June, 1941, the population movement exceeded all bounds.

EASTWARD MOVEMENT

"From the eastern provinces of Poland, from the Baltic countries, Bessarabia, and the territories of the U.S.S.R. invaded by the German armies, a surging tide of refugees flowed eastward, and the movement became still vaster when it was organized into a systematic evacuation.

Ten million people were removed from the territories occupied by Germany in 1941 and another 2,000,000 were evacuated when the German armies made their fresh advance in the summer of 1942."

The report said the threat of continental invasion and air raids led to the evacuation of whole cities and regions, sometimes to far distant places. In Europe, as a whole, nearly 23,000,000 people were transplanted, deported or dispersed from the middle of 1941 up to the beginning of 1943."

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lians of her allies or occupied countries, and from prisoners of war, and puts the total number of foreign workers in Germany at the beginning of 1943 at 6,500,000.

In addition, many others were being used by the Germans in occupied territories.

The presence of this great body of people has been cited as one of Germany's points of peril in the event of an Allied invasion.

All these workers have been recruited to operate the vast war machine which has been built up from the resources of Europe to support the German armies.

Of interest in Italy's pre-surrender dilemma is the report's comment:

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Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst

The Balkan thorn is being pressed steadily and dangerously deeper into Fuehrer Hitler's side by the business-like progress of the Allies in the conquest of Italy, as marked today by the reported investment of the strategic port of Naples.

There are two cogent reasons for caution in invading the Balkans. One is that this operation would divert Allied strength from the prime objective, that is, the invasion of western Europe. On that depends any early termination of the war—barring a German internal collapse. The second reason is political—the Russians consider the Balkans their sphere of influence and may not want the western Allies to interfere.

Thomas E. Burns Dies

CALGARY (CP)—A resident of Calgary since 1905 and a nephew of the late Senator Patrick Burns, Thos. Eugene Burns died in a hospital Wednesday following a long illness. He was born in Winnipeg 52 years ago and came to Calgary with his parents in 1905. He was employed with the P. Burns Company packing plant until five years ago, when he was forced to retire as a result of ill health.

Opposing Germans

LONDON (CP)—There are strong indications in London that Italian crews and Italian troops ashore are actively engaged in organized effort against the Germans—in addition to previously-acknowledged activities behind the Nazi lines.

The relationship of Italy to the Allies is understood here to have been placed on the basis that Italy now is "working her passage," and that how well she works will determine her future status.

Bochum, Big Nazi Steel Centre, Hit By R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. In Night Raid

LONDON (CP)—R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. bombers returned to Germany Wednesday night after a one-night lull in their aerial offensive to attack Bochum and other objectives in the industrial Ruhr valley, it was announced here today.

Returning to the Ruhr valley where Germany has concentrated the greater part of its war industries, after a month's interval, the R.A.F.'s thundering fleet of night bombers gave the big steel and iron city of Bochum its fifth heavy pounding of the year.

The attack was officially described as "heavy." Eight bombers failed to return from the raid.

Squadrons from the Canadian corps participated in the heavy attacks, R.C.A.F. headquarters said, and three of the missing aircraft were Canadian.

Bochum, where the coke and steel industry of the Ruhr valley coal basin is concentrated, had been the specific target of four previous raids, last being attacked June 25. A previous attack, on the night of June 12, levelled some 130 acres in the centre of the city whose three steel works constitute one of the most important steel producing units of the famous Vereinigte Stahlwerke combine. The city has a population of 320,000.

The Air Ministry communiqué said other objectives in the Ruhr valley were also bombed and that mines were laid in enemy waters during the night.

Intrepid patrols were also carried out over occupied Europe, the communiqué added, and one enemy plane was destroyed by an aircraft of the fighter command over Holland.

Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA (CP)—The 693rd R.C.A.F. casualty list, issued Wednesday, contains 16 names.

The list follows:

KILLED

Sgt. William Norman Gould, Kitchener, Ont.; LAC. Richard Noland Hammond, Ottawa; LAC. Leonard Raymond Moore, Sarnia, Ont.

MISSING

LAC. Louis Oscar Dorge, Irvin, Alta.; AC2 Joseph Alexander Fraser, Chase, B.C.

SERIOUSLY INJURED

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Brandon, Man.; Sgt. William Holt Ledford, D.F.M., Saskatoon.

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WASHINGTON — The Allies are reported to be helping feed the Italian population now in areas from which the Germans have been driven, and will have to continue to do so until 1944 crops are harvested. This year's surplus olive oil, citrus products and sulphur may be used in payment, in part at least.

Italy's crops this year are reported good. The season has been favorable. Fertilizers were available. Manpower shortages were overcome. The wheat crop is estimated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to be the biggest ever produced in that country. How much of it will be available to Italians is a question. Their wheat areas are in the Po valley and to the north, where the country is now infested with the German forces. The winter fruit and nut country is also in the north.

Fish food from the Mediterranean can supply much of the need if fishing experts show the way and equipment is furnished. Italy, surrounded by water, has never developed an extensive fishing industry. Sardines from Sicilian waters and tuna from Sicilian seas have constituted the principal export catch. Much other fish may be taken and the Mediterranean is now safe for activities.

"He seeks to convey the impression that there will be no election until 1945 while imposing a set of conditions which make it possible for him to call an election so soon after the opening of the House of Commons as any man raises his voice in what Mr. King may interpret to be substantial criticism. He approaches his political opponents with a cloak over his political sword."

He says excuse given

Mr. Bracken said that Mr. King in his address had set out conditions which would give him "an excuse for calling an election at any time and then blaming others with the responsibility for a course which he says would be so wrong."

Mr. Bracken quoted the Prime Minister's words that "even within the government itself and the ranks of its supporters differences of view on matters of policy might arise which it is found impossible to reconcile."

"The truth is, of course, that this very event has already occurred," Mr. Bracken continued. "Mr. Cardin and the Bloc Populaire left the government ranks because of these very differences. These people are now opposing Mr. King and defeating his candidates."

Mr. King's castigation of all other parties for presuming to organize or criticize came "with ill grace" from one who as the head of a single party had assumed full responsibility for conduct of the war, Mr. Bracken said.

"This is said by the leader of a government which has deluged and has virtually monopolized the radio since the war began, with self-adulation of the most extravagant kind and has used every conceivable means of propaganda to herald its own virtues and to extol its policies.

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"This is said by the leader of a government which has overwhelmed the mails and filled the waste-baskets of the Dominion with propaganda reeking with speeches of cabinet ministers and highly-paid literary productions of a whole army of government employees paid from the public purse..."

In my short connection with federal politics, it appears to me that all criticism is looked on with suspicion and hostility," Mr. Bracken said. "If that point of view were once established it does not bode well for the future of the government or the country. When public criticism is stifled democracy dies."

"For my part, as leader of the Progressive Conservative Party in Canada, no threats, no matter how arrogant, will deter me from my course of co-operation with the government, reserving the right to criticize as I and my associates deem it necessary in the interests of the people of Canada."

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	63	12.92	9.73	6.66	5.52	4.29
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	65	13.24	10.05	6.98	5.84	4.61
	66	13.40	10.21	7.14	6.00	4.77
	67	13.56	10.37	7.30	6.16	4.93
	68	13.72	10.53	7.46	6.32	5.09
	69	13.88	10.69	7.62	6.48	5.25
	70	14.04	10.85	7.78	6.64	5.41
	71	14.20	11.01	7.94	6.80	5.57
	72	14.36	11.17	8.10	6.96	5.73
	73	14.52	11.33	8.26	7.12	5.89
	74	14.68	11.49	8.42	7.28	6.05
	75	14.84	11.65	8.58	7.44	6.21
	76	15.00	11.81	8.74	7.60	6.37
	77	15.16	11.97	8.90	7.76	6.53
	78	15.32	12.13	9.06	7.92	6.69
	79	15.48	12.29	9.22	8.08	6.85
	80	15.64	12.45	9.38	8.24	7.01
	81	15.80	12.61	9.54	8.40	7.17
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Bank Debts and Victoria

FOR SOME TIME IT HAS BEEN ANNOYINGLY APPARENT THAT THE WEEKLY AND MONTHLY TOTALS OF BANK CLEARINGS IN VICTORIA WERE NOT REFLECTING THE INCREASE IN BUSINESS VOLUME HERE. THE REASON WAS THAT ONLY SMALL CHEQUES WERE CLEARED THROUGH THE LOCAL CLEARING HOUSE AND SO REPORTED. THE OTHERS WERE CLEARED THROUGH THE BANK OF CANADA AND, AS THE ONLY BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH OF THE BANK OF CANADA IS IN VICTORIA, THE CLEARANCES HAVE BEEN MADE THERE AND THE TOTALS CREDITED TO THE MAINLAND CITY. CLEARINGS FROM OTHER COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE PROVINCE SIMILARLY WENT THROUGH VICTORIA.

THE PROCESS THUS FOLLOWED RESULTED IN CLEARINGS TOTALS OF VICTORIA BOUNDING UPWARDS WHILE THE FIGURES FOR VICTORIA, NEW WESTMINSTER AND OTHER CITIES WERE DOING A LITTLE BETTER THAN HOLDING THEIR OWN, DESPITE THE RAPID EXPANSION OF BUSINESS IN THESE CENTRES. BANK CLEARINGS AS REPORTED, THEREFORE, LOST THEIR VALUE AS GAUGES OF COMPARATIVE BUSINESS VOLUMES OR TRENDS. THIS HAS BEEN TRUE NOT ONLY OF THIS AREA, BUT EQUALLY SO THROUGHOUT CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES, AS AFFECTED BY THE OPERATIONS OF THE BANK OF CANADA OR THE U.S. FEDERAL RESERVE BANK. IN RECOGNITION OF THE CHANGED CONDITIONS, THE BANK CLEARINGS REPORTS WERE SOME TIME AGO ELIMINATED IN VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE NEIGHBORING REPUBLIC, OR CONFINED TO CITIES IN WHICH A CENTRAL BANK OPERATES.

This week there was inaugurated the practice of publishing through the Dominion Bureau of Statistics the totals for each city in Canada of bank debits to individual accounts. This means the totals of cheques drawn on accounts in the banks in each city. It gives a more accurate approximation of individual community business volume. In Victoria, for instance, the cheque total for August was \$47,500,000, which is roughly one-quarter the August total of \$197,500,000 for Vancouver. Under the former bank clearings reports, Victoria was credited with around only one-thirtieth of the business volume of Vancouver. This was because the greater part of Victoria's clearings were taken from this city and, through the Bank of Canada, credited to Vancouver. The bank debits statement for Victoria also shows a gain in August of \$1,300,000 over July and a gain of nearly \$10,000,000, or 25 per cent, over August, 1942. These figures are in line with the experience of the business community, reflecting the degree of increased business activity and population here.

In fairness to the smaller places, inauguration of the bank debits reports was long overdue. To the Victoria Chamber of Commerce goes credit for starting and carrying through the fight to bring about the change. The community is indebted to this body for what it has accomplished—as are other cities throughout the country which had been placed in a disadvantageous light through the use of misleading bank clearing figures as business indices.

Decision Generally Approved

ALTHOUGH THE PRIME MINISTER has made it abundantly clear that the Canadian people should not expect a federal general election in the early future, the electorate should not forget that he listed four conditions on the emergence of any of which he might feel obliged to ask for a dissolution of the present Parliament. It was natural and prudent that Mr. King so protected himself—regardless of the fact that the constitutional term of his government has still a year and a half of its five-year term to run. His main proviso was that if "a group or combination of groups in Parliament moved to impede the work of Parliament or to misrepresent and distort government policies" to make it next to impossible for the government to carry on, he would then deem it necessary and desirable to ask the people for new instructions. In other words, if either opposition party, or both, felt inclined to force the issue, the Prime Minister drew a pattern of the conduct that could be employed to alter the policy concurred in by the rank and file of the Liberal Party at their meetings in Ottawa early this week.

There is little likelihood, however, of a general election occurring as result of obstruction for obstruction's sake. Several reasons exist for this assumption. The official opposition is not deluding itself by the change of Progressive Conservative fortunes in the recent general election in Ontario. The issues of that contest were purely provincial in character. And not the most optimistic member of the official opposition in the House of Commons would feel like wagering a very large sum on a federal Conservative victory at the polls, either now, a few months hence, or in a year and a half's time. True, the party selected a new leader last December to guide it out of the wilderness; but he is still without a seat in Parliament and with no immediately-visible prospect of a sitting member accommodating him. Just how long Mr. Bracken proposes to discharge his duties by remote control, from the political sidelines, as it were, is a matter for conjecture. It is something with which the Prime Minister does not require to con-

cern himself. In the realm of speculation, too, is the manner in which the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation views the prospect of office in the early or distant future.

What none of the political wiseacres seem able to make up their minds about is the personality in Canadian public or private life they would like to substitute for the present Prime Minister. Newspaper supporters of the Progressive Conservative Party have had much to say about Mr. King, much criticism to level at his conduct of the nation's wartime affairs, many complaints to make about the restrictions essential to the nation's efficient contribution to the cause of the United Nations; but no convincing argument so far has been adduced to suggest they think Mr. Bracken, for example, could do better than or as good as the present Prime Minister and his government. Perhaps that is as good a reason as any why the early reaction from many quarters to Mr. King's decision to postpone an appeal to the people seems heartily in accord with the official resolve. The Progressive Conservative opposition, at any rate, must remain at a serious disadvantage so long as its leader contents himself with making speeches outside the parliamentary forum.

But Mr. Bracken Is Hasty

SINCE THE FOREGOING WAS WRITTEN, Mr. John Bracken, leader of the Progressive Conservative Party, has issued a long statement to express the view that "never in the history of Canada has a political leader been guilty of such arrogance and pretence as was Mr. King on Monday night." What seems to be worrying the ex-Premier of Manitoba specifically is that the Prime Minister has put himself "in a position for political action upon the slightest pretence," seeking "to convey the impression that there will be no election until 1945, while imposing a set of conditions which make it possible for him to call an election so soon after the opening of the House of Commons as any man raises his voice in what Mr. King may interpret to be substantial criticism."

Regardless of the pelting tone of the outburst from which the above extracts are taken, if Mr. Bracken desired to prove to the people of Canada that he is fearful of the fortunes of the Progressive Conservative Party when it next appeals for votes—not to mention his failure to recognize the force of basic facts—he could not have phrased his statement more convincingly. Mr. King, of course, can afford to ignore the cheap innuendo, the suggestion that he will "spring" an election and trim his sails to the political winds. But what Mr. Bracken seems to forget in his haste to play politics is that the Prime Minister is entitled to exercise the prerogatives of his office when his judgment so dictates. Many fair-minded Conservatives no doubt will wish their leader had counted ten before he fired his barrage.

After Naples, What?

WHEN THE ANGLO-AMERICAN forces have occupied the historic and vitally-strategic city of Naples they will have at their disposal a great harbor large enough to accommodate a tremendous armada of force that may well constitute the main machinery for the expansion of the whole of the Mediterranean campaign.

Foggia on the east coast already is undergoing an intensive repair job to put it in a position for the assemblage of an array of airpower which Hitler fears will soon make itself felt in those remote regions of the Reich which he had persuaded himself would be indefinitely out of Allied bomber range.

To what extent the German high command intends to challenge the Anglo-American bid for complete domination of the whole of the Italian peninsula will be determined by the weight of the American 5th and the British 8th armies and, to some extent, by the co-operation of the Italian people and such Italian soldiery as may be ready to fight their former allies. In any case, airpower based in the important Foggia area will be able to play "ducks and drakes" with the Nazi legions as they are gradually forced toward the north and stronger defensive lines. And those Italians who now seem inclined to "worry their passage" will have ample opportunity to try their hands at wholesale sabotage between Naples and the line of the Po.

Sense Of Urgency

OUR NEIGHBOR'S CHAIRMAN OF ITS War Production Board, Mr. Donald Nelson, was in the Midland Counties of Britain yesterday where the R.A.F.'s Spitfires are built. He was evidently impressed by what he saw. He said: "There is a great sense of urgency here; that is the message I shall take back to America."

Mr. Nelson usually says what he means and says it so that it can be understood by everybody. If, as we have been informed, there is a feeling in some quarters in the United States that the war is as good as "in the bag," he will be able to tell his compatriots that the "sense of urgency" of which he speaks is attuned to the bitter days ahead—not to an early victory.

Notes

The illiterates have one advantage. The talk of a well-informed friend isn't the same stuff they read this morning.

Making brute Hitler the boss at home means that Hitler fears the people, and that means an early crack-up if we work it right.

Another difference is that a man who finally boils over and curses you is through with you; but a woman can remove your hide and love you as usual next day.

Loose Ends

BRITAIN'S WARTIME FINANCES

SIR KINGSLEY WOOD, who died last week at the age of 62, was largely responsible for the prevention of inflation in Britain. In July, 1940, when he introduced his first budget, government expenditure was at the rate of £5,000,000 (\$20,000,000) a day. By April, 1941, the rate had reached £12,500,000 (£50,000,000) a day. In April, 1943, it was £15,000,000 (\$60,000,000) a day. Prices also were rising rapidly when he took office, but the rise has not continued. In April, 1941, when the cost of living was 28 per cent above the pre-war level, Sir Kingsley announced a stabilization policy designed to prevent the cost of living from rising more than 30 per cent over the pre-war level. This policy has been effective, and in the two and a half years since April, 1941, the cost of living has not increased.

This stabilization of Britain's internal economy in the face of ever-increasing government expenditure and private incomes—and the extreme shortage of goods for British people to buy with their increasing incomes—was made possible by extremely heavy taxation and a vigorous and sustained national savings campaign. When Sir Kingsley Wood took office, the standard rate of income tax was 37½ per cent. It was soon raised to 50 per cent, and the exemptions and credits were lowered so as to bring even the lowest paid workers within reach of the tax. Indirect taxes were increased proportionately by rapid increases in excise taxes on commodities such as tobacco, beer and whisky, and a purchase tax was imposed, with graduated rates which now reach as high as 100 per cent on luxuries. War savings now average over £110 (\$440) a head, with small savings averaging £40 (\$160) a head. The extension of rationing and the strengthening of price control also helped to achieve stabilization.

NEWS FROM HOME

W. A. McAdam, Agent-General for B.C. in London, sends a copy as follows of a letter he has received, emphasizing the eagerness of Canadian troops overseas for newspapers from home:

"The mess president has instructed me to write and thank you and your staff for your kindness in forwarding us B.C. papers after they have been discarded from your office.

"This is possibly the largest single group of B.C. men and officers in the country, and naturally all are hungry for news from home. The first shipment arrived today, and the chaps are queuing up to read them.

"We hope that the custom of sending us your 'discards' will continue, and we should be grateful for any Canadian magazines which you might have. May I add that the thoughtfulness of your office has occasioned some jealousy among men from other provinces who are not so fortunate as to be well looked after by their provincial representatives. Signed, Lieut. Lloyd H. Hobden, secretary, Officers' Mess, No. 1 C.L.R.U., Canadian Army, England."

PERSISTENT DANDELIONS

CITIZENS WHO TAKE PRIDE IN TRIM LAWNS, WELL-KEPT GARDENS AND HOME SURROUNDINGS GENERALLY, HAVE AS USUAL BEEN HAVING DIFFICULTY WITH THE DANDELIONS THIS YEAR.

Botanists describe the dandelion as a hardy perennial. Right again. It is the hardest thing we know of in the vegetable kingdom. It can scratch a very comfortable living off everything but a solid concrete path. And it is not so green as it looks.

It is astonishing how quickly this wild plant adapts itself to the ways of civilization. It will crouch down quickly and unostentatiously before the assault of the lawnmower, only to rise up in all its splendor later when the shearing tools are put away for the night.

Decapitation does not kill the dandelion. It only teaches it wisdom. After being decapitated, the dandelion grows sideways instead of upwards.

PER ARDUA AD ASTRA

(In Memoriam—PO. Paul Jeanneret, R.C.A.F., of Victoria, B.C., and every other man of our allied armies who has died "For God and Right and Liberty," who "Through dust of conflict and through battle flame . . . to your glory came.")

Zambesi's glassy tide here breaks,
Victoria Falls in thunder shakes

The scene of Beauty's Birth!

Like incense rose the watery smoke,
Her Maker through His rainbow spoke

To her soul snatched from earth.

Surprise most glad, wonder most wild
Come now to her—God's little child—

Beyond all thought of man
In sacrifice her pain dissolves,

His strength her soul absolves,

—His—er—the world began.

Now without end her beauty flows,

Past farthest suns, through wintry snows,

For God has on her breathed.

Transcendent in His sight she flies

To her true home beyond all skies,

Her loveliness unsheathed.

Poets have sung, and we have thought—

True beauty that can ne'er be bought

Surely can never die!

As music—passing out of sight—

In dying gives more pure delight,

High rising to most high.

So Beauty, Light, and Life above

Are His whose loveliest name is Love;

He loves our lords who die.

They sacrificed that we might live;

To God, with all our hearts, we give

Praise for their courage high.

Holy Three—Holy be His Name!

And Beauty's holiness the same,

In Heavenly Father's Home.

Their joy with Him, reward so meet,

To us in pain is token sweet.

No longer will we roam.

Therefore our prayers rise for them day

and night.

Dawn, noon, and—ever—we shall not

forget!

"God rest their souls, assoul them of sin's debt."

"Our incense rises in His Holy sight.

—FREDERICK MOORE.

Hitler's 'Simple Program for 1943'

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

TODAY HOLDS A BITTER ANNIVERSARY FOR HITLER. JUST A YEAR AGO HE OPENED THE ANNUAL NAZI WINTER RELIEF CAMPAIGN IN BERLIN BY ANNOUNCING THAT "WE HAVE DRAFTED A VERY SIMPLE PROGRAM" FOR 1943. IT WAS, HE SAID:

"First, hold in all circumstances what must be held; that is, let the enemy run against us everywhere we do not intend to advance; and let him storm as long as he wants to; hold adamantly and wait and see who tires out first."

SECOND: ABSOLUTELY ATTACK IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE ATTACK IS NECESSARY."

HIS FINAL HALT

AT THAT MOMENT A YEAR AGO THE BATTLE OF STALINGRAD WAS AT ITS HEIGHT. NAZI TROOPS ACTUALLY WERE AT THE VOLGA. ALEXANDRIA WAS IN DIRE PERIL WITH ROMMEL'S ARMY GIRDING FOR A NEW ATTACK ALONG THE ALAMEIN LINE ONLY 60 MILES AWAY. GREAT LOSSES HAD BEEN SUFFERED BY ALLIED CONVOYS TO RUSSIA IN THE DIEPPE RAID TO THE VOLGA.

LIVING SPACE LOST

AT THE HEIGHT OF HIS SUCCESSES, HITLER HELD 700,000 SQUARE MILES OF RUSSIA'S 8,800,000-SQUARE-MILE AREA. TODAY, THOSE GAINS HAVE DWINDLED AT ENORMOUS COST TO BUT 230,000 SQUARE MILES. ALMOST AS THE "LIVING SPACE" HITLER BOASTED AS WON BY THE WEHRMACHT FOR HIS GREATER GERMANY IS LOST. AND THE FLAILING GERMAN ARMIES NOW ARE ALONG THE DIEPPE, NOT THE VOLGA.

COAL

ALL AFRICA HAS BEEN WRESTED FROM NAZI CONTROL, THE MEDITERRANEAN FREED FOR ALLIED USE.

BALKAN SATellite STATES ARE IN NEAR REVOLT AGAINST THEIR NAZI MASTERS, AND FINLAND IS READY TO CUT HER UNNATURAL TIES WITH BERLIN. JAPAN IS REELING BACK IN THE SOUTHWESTERN PACIFIC UNDER PRELIMINARY BLOWS.

HITLER MUST HAVE NO DOUBT OF THAT NOW—WITH THE LOSS OF SMOLENSK, THE KEYSTONE OF NAZI DEFENCE ON THE VAST 1,200-MILE BATTLE

ITSELF.

IN CORSICA, THE BRIDGEHEAD FOR AN ALLIED INVASION OF FRANCE TO END THE VICHY REGIME AND RESTORE FREE FRANCE IS IN THE MAKING.

IN BRITAIN THE MOST POWERFUL ARMED FORCE THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN IS MUSTERED TO SMASH ACROSS THE CHANNEL AT BER



SPENCER'S 70th Anniversary

ON this, our Seventieth Anniversary, we of Spencers are thinking, not in terms of a man's lifetime, but of the years during which it has been our privilege to serve the Homes of the City—those Homes to which we owe everything that has made our growth worth while.

Three score years and ten—happy years, stirring years, eventful years, troubled years, war years and years of peace, yes, years of almost indescribable variety of events and experience. But every one of them a year of painstaking Service to the Homes, the Families, the Residents, and that vast throng of Visitors to which Victoria owes so much of its World-wide Fame.

The very existence, and more certainly the continued growth of an institution such as this depends upon its interpretation of that simple but all-important word "Service."

And as we pause for a moment on this, our Seventieth Anniversary, our greatest pleasure is not in contemplating the past, but in preparing ourselves for the future—for those happier days ahead when we hope by even greater, deeper, fuller, stronger efforts, to become an even worthier part of the City.

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Advantages of correspondence school study in providing opportunities to individuals who have been unable to capitalize on routine educational instruction are outlined in brochures of the De-

partment of Education correspondence division now being circulated.

Various courses are offered. They include the full high school study schedule, together with senior matric, which is equivalent to first year college, as well as specialized courses in technical and vocational fields.

In its pamphlet dealing with High School correspondence, the department notes the courses may be taken at any time and may be carried as speedily as the individual student can grasp the work. The plan has the additional advantage of developing personal initiative in allocation of time and energy to particular studies.

The technical-vocational courses, covering a wide range of subjects—several of which credit valid credits for High School graduation—are presented to enable persons out of school to increase their knowledge and their technical efficiency along various lines of occupational skills and to give young people attending high and superior schools an opportunity to include with their regular courses a certain amount of technical and vocational training. "These courses," says the pamphlet, "provide a chance of reclaiming, for many people, lost opportunities for self-improvement through study, and in preparing themselves to undertake new trades or vocations."

Complete details can be secured from the Department of Education correspondence course branch.

Want Girl Friends

WASHINGTON (AP) — When the voice on the telephone said it was the White House calling, Miss Helen Carl, a government secretary, thought it was just one of Washington's favorite gags. But this time it wasn't. "I met your boy friend," Sgt. Al Lewis, in Australia, and he asked me to call and say 'Hello,'" said Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, just returned from the south Pacific war front. "The boys are doing a wonderful job, but they are lonesome for their girl friends."

St. John's Evening W.A. met under Mrs. H. S. Hewett. Balance of the pledge to the diocesan board was paid, and the bulletin was read. Mrs. H. Ballantyne reported on the program for the silver tea to be held Oct. 5 at 7:30, in the factory.

A.Y.P.A. News

ST. JOHN'S A.Y.P.A.

St. John's A.Y.P.A. meeting opened with prayers led by Molly Brinkman. Five guests were welcomed: Peggy Stonhouse Dorothy Duckett Francis Jenkins, Lorne Burle and Bill Hewitt. Norman Williams spoke on the Dominion Conference held in Toronto.

Installation of officers was conducted in the chancel by Rev. G. Biddle. Corporate Communion and breakfast will be held Sunday, convener Eleanor Melville, phone E 7557. There will be an executive meeting Monday at 8 in the A.Y.P.A. room and Tuesday evening business meeting and letter writing to A.Y.P.A. boys now in the service.

St. Albans' A.Y.P.A. met under Eric Moon, when Harry Prior, William Morris and John Cowlin were chosen delegates to the Provincial Conference in Vancouver, Oct. 9, 10 and 11. Oct. 3, being Anglican Youth Sunday, installation of officers will take place at the evening service. Next meeting will be Wednesday at 7:30, when stalls will be erected and final arrangements made for the fall fair to be held Oct. 8.

Semi-annual meeting of Provincial I.O.D.E. will be held in Nanaimo, Oct. 5 and 6, with delegates from Victoria and Vancouver attending. The conference will officially open with a banquet. Victoria delegates are asked to telephone municipal secretary, Mrs. W. L. Williams, E 8616.

Family of Corporals



Photo by Ross Weller

Four corporals in one family is the record of the family of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wilson, Comox, V.I. Left to right: Nora, laboratory assistant with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.), stationed in Calgary; Albert, R.C.A., at Gordon Head; Ethel, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), hospital chef at Mountain View, Ont.; Florence, hospital chef with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.), at Sea Island, Vancouver.

Celebrates 90th Birthday



Mrs. Beals Heads Musical Alumni

Mrs. C. S. Beals was re-elected president of the Victoria Chapter of the Toronto Conservatory of Music Alumni Association at the annual meeting held at the home of Miss Helen Gibson, Linkenas Avenue.

Other officers elected include: Vice-president, Miss Noel Smith; secretary, Mrs. Arthur Bates; assistant secretary, Miss Isabelle Pike; treasurer, Miss Helen Gibson; historian, Mrs. George Phillips; program convener, Mrs. D. L. Gilbert; convener of entertainment committee, Mrs. W. B. Miller.

Plans were made for a fall reception party to be held in October. A program of piano music was presented by Miss Gwendolyn Harper.

Red Cross Notes

All ranks, except those under special orders, of No. 1 Detachment, Canadian Red Cross Corps, will parade at Christ Church Memorial Hall Monday at 7:45. Orderly officer for week is Jr. S.Ldr. Darling; next for duty, Jr. S.Ldr. King. Orderly corporals are Cpl. Stewart and A.Cpl. Ayland; next for duty, Cpl. Hocking and Cpl. Burrows.

Sections 1 and 3 will take lecture on map reading by Lieut. Melbourne; section 2, physiology and anatomy by Miss Weber, R.N., and section 4, food lecture on canning and emergency feeding by Miss Milne.

Commanding officer of a ship supplied with Red Cross comforts of woolens and surgical supplies, has sent the following letter: "I am asked by the officers and men of my ship's company to express our thanks for the gifts of comforts received on our short visit to Esquimalt, and to ask you to convey to the members of the Canadian Red Cross our sincere appreciation of their kindness."

Regimental Auxiliary Christmas parcels for units serving in the Mediterranean area cannot be guaranteed delivery. Shipments to that area will be expedited and everything done to insure their delivery. This type of shipment must be in Montreal by Oct. 15, and should be shipped to provincial warehouse immediately.

Miss Laura Holland of Victoria, adviser on Social Welfare Policy, has returned to their home in Vancouver, after holidaying at the Empress Hotel.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Pratt, who have been visiting in Vancouver, have returned to their home on Millstream Road, Langford.

Mrs. George Tomlinson has returned to Nanaimo to join her husband, Capt. George Tomlinson, after a short visit in Victoria.

Miss Ruth McLean left Government House Wednesday for Vancouver, where she will visit her mother, Mrs. McLean, Tudor Manor, until Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Smith left Wednesday evening for Ottawa, where she will attend the Dominion Health Council under the Department of Pensions and National Healths.

Mr. and Mrs. George Amas of Newport, Wash., are visiting in Victoria, the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Amas, 469 Monterey Avenue.

Col. and Mrs. Lockhart Gordon of Toronto will spend the weekend in Victoria, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Goodwin, Quadra Street.

Mrs. Laurie Coates, Regina, has returned home after visiting at the coast and attending meetings of the Order of the Eastern Star both in Victoria and Vancouver.

About 60 young people of Victoria Gospel Hall gathered at the home of Mrs. H. W. Hitchman, Acton Street, Wednesday evening to honor Miss Muriel Burkinstone and Mr. John Stewart. The bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of gladioli and rosebuds, while the miscellaneous gifts were concealed in a red carton, topped with a miniature firemap, in a compliment to the groom.

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Mrs. J. S. Fowler, Rosebury Avenue, entertained 50 lady members of Oaklands Gospel Hall to honor Miss Muriel Burkinstone, bride-elect. The guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. E. W. Burkinstone and mother of the groom-elect, received corsage bouquets. On behalf of the guests, Mrs. J. Thomson and Mrs. J. Jenner presented the bride-to-be with a lovely china tea set. A musical program was enjoyed, and those taking part were Mesdames R. McGregor, Finners, W. Woodward, McKerracher, Alan, and Misses Dorothy Jealouse, Evelyn Finners and Kathleen Fowler.

Mrs. Jean Wilson, whose marriage will take place shortly, was guest of honor Tuesday evening when her friends in the Gleaners Mission Circle entertained at a dinner shower at the home of Mrs.

Jubilee W.A. Plan Dance Oct. 29

Plans for a dance at the Empress Hotel, Oct. 29, with proceeds to be used for purchase of hospital equipment, were outlined at an executive meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. G. W. Tallamy will convene the dance, assisted by Mesdames E. Sheppard, Fred Pollard, W. A. Parrott, N. Beketov, H. C. Anderson, R. H. Oliver and Miss C. Hall.

Reports given at Wednesday's meeting included that of Mrs. E. Sheppard, treasurer; Mrs. P. E. Taylor, who stated that \$21 had been collected in dues during the month, and Mrs. Thomas Miller of the sewing committee who said that 175 pieces of work had been completed.

Mrs. David McMillan presided, Mesdames H. C. Anderson, N. Beketov, W. A. Parrott, W. C. Thackery and H. L. Bevan were welcomed as new members. Mrs. M. I. Curry and Mrs. Pollard were appointed delegates to the B.C. Hospitals' Association convention to be held at the Empress Hotel next week.

New committees appointed were: Mrs. W. J. V. Church and Mrs. Gerard Harris, buying; Mrs. H. P. Rutter and Mrs. R. J. Jameson, visiting; Mrs. Pollard, press secretary, and Mrs. R. H. Oliver, stamp convener. Sewing meetings of the auxiliary will be held first and second Wednesday of each month.

Clubwomen

Princess Patricia Lodge will meet Friday in the S.O.E. Hall at 8. A shower for the bazaar will be held, and articles for dirty bags are requested. Drill team will attend.

W.A. Pro Patria Branch will meet at 1416 Douglas Street tonight at 7:30. Final arrangements for the annual bazaar will be made and donations received. Whist game will follow at 8.

Senior Afternoon Branch of Christ Church Cathedral W.A. held an autumn tea Wednesday afternoon at the Deanery, through the invitation of Dean and Mrs. Elliott.

Mary Morry presided at the meeting of Junior Catholic Women's League, and welcomed Marie Ryan as a new member.

Winnifred Leavitt and Nora O'Connell will visit shut-ins during October. Junior C.W.L. will be in charge of a novelty stall at St. Louis College Fair, Oct. 7. Mrs. Rose Fisher convening, assisted by Mary Morry, Nora O'Connell and Alphonse Boulet.

Canadian Prisoners of War Relatives' Association met Wednesday under Mrs. R. G. H. Murray. A gift of \$20 from Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will go toward providing extra comforts for boys from Vancouver Island who are prisoners. There is a supply of the extra foods permitted in the next-of-kin parcels on hand at the office, 1013 Government Street. Any help or information regarding prisoners of war may be obtained there.

Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Victoria delegate to the recent P.E.O. Sisterhood convention in Detroit, returned to Victoria today. She traveled as far as Revelstoke on the return journey with Mrs. Harry Smith, president of the B.C. Provincial Chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood and Victoria delegate to the convention, who remained in the interior city to address the local P.E.O. Chapter.

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J. L. McLennan. Guests included: Mesdames V. O'Connor, T. Ross, W. Smith, M. Gentry, A. T. Hunkin, Todd, Muncey, J. H. Schroeder, J. Walker, G. Peaker, Currie, Hyde, C. A. Fields and J. A. Stewart, and the Misses Linky Nelson, Inez Jeune, Norma McPherson, Helen Porter, Joyce Applegate, Evelyn Hamilton, Rita Millhouse, Betty Howell, Peggy Howells, Elsie Main, Barbara Munro, Hazel Stuart, Marion Heritage, M. Mitchell, Jean Phillips and Mrs. C. Munro.



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Glove-making, re-make accessories and "glamour for your rooms" were three hobbycraft groups under the guidance of Miss Marjorie Hill, Miss M. Beveridge and Mrs. W. W. Leach, while Mrs. W. H. Wilson directed the choral club.

Taking a great interest in the housekeeping group were young girls who are doing their own light housekeeping. Subjects of discussion to be included in forthcoming classes will be ration tickets, room decorating and budgeting.

The Y.W.C.A. leaders' course was under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. E. White. Mrs. M. G. Cushing, general secretary, gave a history of the Y.W.C.A. back-ground across Canada for leaders and potential leaders.

Open for registration tonight will be a course on economic security, when Miss Mabel Cameron, assistant-deputy minister of labor, will lead a discussion group on "After the War, What?" and also a course in toy-making to be given by Mrs. Evans of the B.C. Toy Club.

Girls and young women of Victoria may register at the "Y" for interest groups, clubs and council, special events courses and junior hostessing, Tuesday and Thursday evenings. A social half-hour will begin at 7:45, with interest groups commencing at 8:15.

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Mrs. Mary Pearce 100 Years Old

A reception is being held this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Pearce's 100th birthday at her home at 857 McClure Street. Her daughter, Mrs. Katie Pegram of Vancouver, and her niece, Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes are the hostesses.

Centrepiece for the tea table is a birthday cake bearing the inscription, "1843-1943," presented to Mrs. Pearce by Mrs. Holmes. Numerous letters, telegrams and cables of congratulations on her birthday have been received by Mrs. Pearce. Cables from overseas include greetings from her nephews and nieces, Lt. J. B. Carew-Gibson, R.C.A., and his sister, Lt. E. J. Carew-Gibson, R.C.A.M.C.; Sir Basil Mayhew, Percy Rainier, and Miss Bessie Rainier.

Most important event of the day for Mrs. Pearce was Holy Communion administered this morning by Very Rev. Dean Spencer Elliott. Through Dean Elliott she expressed that "The great secret of life is to have full faith in God, and we cannot know God unless we fully believe in Him."

She also spoke of the kindness of the staff of the Aged Women's Home, and the matron, whom she described as "a gem among women."

Relax at Flower Show. Tomorrow, Saturday, Crystal Garden Chrysanthemums on parade. ***

The northwest had the driest growing season on record during 1931.

Services Will Get Symphony Tickets

If the response from Victoria music-lovers to membership in the Victoria Symphony Society is great enough to enable this season's concerts to be held in the Royal Victoria Theatre, gallery tickets will be distributed to men and women in uniform, it was decided at a committee meeting held in Royal Trust board room Wednesday night.

Miss Sara Spencer, president, and J. Barracough, chairman, proposed that service clubs, government offices, schools and military centres be approached with a view to increasing general knowledge of the symphony society's activities, achievements and plans.

Next Wednesday the symphony orchestra will give a concert for the R.C.A.F. and R.A.F. at Patricia Bay in the recreation hall where 1,200 can be accommodated.

Mr. Barracough agreed to address the members of the orchestra during rehearsal Oct. 5 at the Church of Our Lord, as it was felt the active members should be kept up to date on the efforts of the membership committee, and share in discussions of the season's plans.

A parents' auxiliary to the preparatory orchestra is being formed, Mrs. W. W. McGill reported, and it is suggested that some consideration for members of the junior symphony for season tickets be given.

Personal letters will be sent to last year's members, and the committee has asked for names of those who are interested in the success of a civic symphony be added to mailing lists.

The first of the season will be given in December. A third concert may be arranged, pending success of the membership drive.

Committee members present were Miss Spencer; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas V. Kent, Mrs. R. W. Hannington, Miss Norma Douglas, J. G. Worth, E. F. M. Sims, E. Stenner, W. K. Hardy, Harry Davies, Miss Iris Smallwood and Miss Mary Campbell.

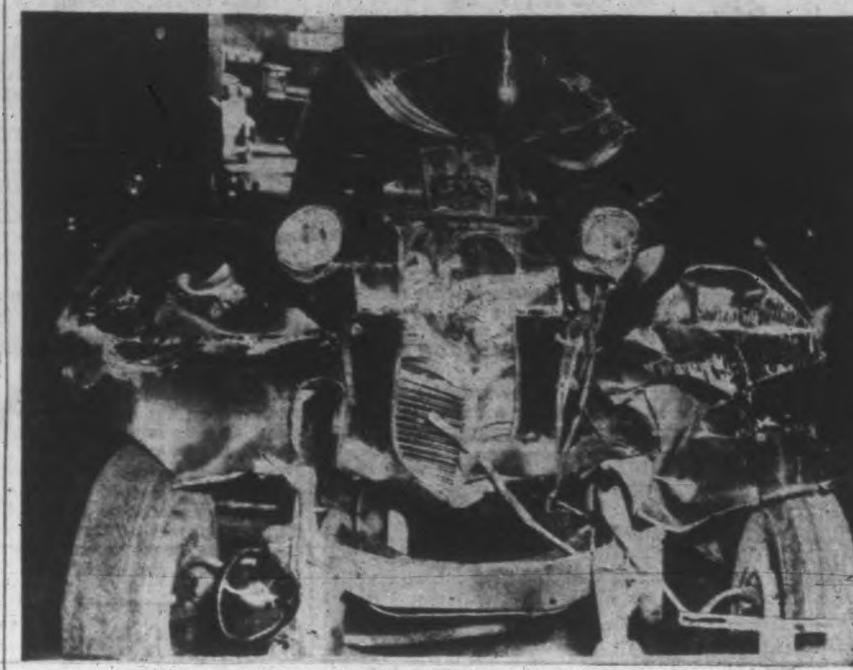
Next committee meeting will be held Oct. 14.

Davy Jones' Locker

The total content of the seas has been estimated as 323,000,000 cubic miles.

Red Triangle concert party opened its fall season of entertainment with a visit to H.M.C.S. Givenchy and weekly concerts will begin Friday with an appearance at Otter Point camp. Members of concert party are: Warren Martin, general manager; Frances Sparks, accompanist; Sheila Morgan, Thelma Gaetz, Catherine Craig, Barbara Dawson, Catherine Denison, Eileen Fryatt, Kathleen Green, Vera Critchard, Audrey and Ernie Crookford, Norval Peterson, James Oakman, George Cornelius, Bob Husband, Frank Faulding, Harry Pope, Jack Townsend, Paul Michelin, the Rythm Ramblers, and pupils of Wynne Shaw school of dancing.

Death Car and Victim



Above is wreckage of the Studebaker car from which the body of David R. Hurdle, 1240 Fairfield Road, well-known lumberman and sportsman, was removed Tuesday evening. Mr. Hurdle crashed into the rear of a standing streetcar at the intersection of Government and Pembroke Streets. Right, the late Mr. Hurdle, whose funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 from Sands Mortuary. Cremation at Royal Oak.

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Gillette Razor Blades, pkg. of 8. 25¢
Borden's Malted Milk, 5-lb. jar. 82.50¢
Beef, Iroquois Wine Tonic, 16-oz. bottle. 69¢
Kruschen Salts, giant size. 69¢

Malt and Cod Liver Oil Extract, 2-lb. jar. 69¢
Liquid Petroleum, 16-oz. btl. 29¢; 25-oz. btl. 49¢
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Canada in Union Would Please Chile

OTTAWA (CP)—Dr. Joaquin Fernandez, Chilean minister of foreign affairs, who is in Ottawa on a good-will visit, told reporters that "naturally Chile would be delighted to have Canada as a member of the Pan-American Union."

He did not comment in any other way on the fact that Canada is not a member of the union, but was replying to a question as to whether or not his country felt Canada should enter.

Dr. Fernandez held a press conference shortly after participating

ing with Prime Minister King in the only government formality scheduled for his visit—the exchange of ratifications of the trade agreement between Canada and Chile, concluded in Santiago, Sept. 30, 1941.

"I want also to make publicly known my admiration for Canada's enormous war effort—her contribution to the struggle for liberty and democracy," he added.

It was a great "personal satisfaction" to meet Prime Minister Mackenzie King" whose personality stands out amongst the most brilliant on the continent."

Dr. Fernandez arrived here Wednesday.

Every Japanese word ends either in the letter "N" or a vowel.

Council Supports Chamber Protest On Building Order

After considerable discussion Wednesday evening the Oak Bay Municipal Council endorsed the action of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce in protesting government rulings which would restrict the size of new houses to a floor area of 900 square feet.

R. F. Blandy, municipal clerk, informed the council that as far as he had been able to ascertain no definite order had come through from the government, but he read excerpts from an article which indicated that the controller of construction is not

issuing licenses to anyone wishing to build a house larger than the stated area.

He also said that investigations had revealed that it would take more material to construct a two-story house with a floor area of 700 square feet, which is allowed, than it does to construct a bungalow with a floor area of 1,200 feet of the type usually built on the coast.

If this order does become effective, the councillors pointed out, it would mean the cessation of nearly all home building in Oak Bay for the duration of the order, because zoning regulations prohibit the building of houses under 1,200 square feet in some areas, or under 1,000 square feet in others.

A by-law prohibiting loitering, sitting or standing in aisles or

passageways of public buildings was passed by the council.

On the request of the Victoria City Council, Reeve W. L. Woodhouse was authorized by the council to appoint representatives from Oak Bay on a joint postwar rehabilitation committee.

A request from F. D. Campbell to convert his house into four apartments was referred to the zoning committee.

The Navy League of Canada was given permission to hold a tag day on Oct. 16.

The municipal solicitor was asked to give an opinion on what action, if any, could or should be taken by the municipality because of damage caused at Oak Bay and Cadboro Bay by oil from a freighter beached recently in Cadboro Bay. The Royal Victoria Yacht Club is investigating the matter, it was stated.

On a motion from Councillor Alex Peden the council passed a vote of appreciation to the municipal employees for their work in arranging the recent municipal engineers' and fire chiefs' conventions.

Esquimalt Schools Opening Exercises

Twelve students of Esquimalt High School received school leaving certificates at the annual opening exercises held in the Elementary School auditorium Wednesday afternoon.

Reeve Alex. Lockley opened the program with a brief address in which he emphasized the importance of Bible study in the school. Students presented with school leaving certificates were: Peter Chandler, Ivan Earshaw, James Floyd, Craig Hall, John Ismay, Joyce Kemp, Harold Knappett, Noel Clifford Pecknold, Yvonne Preedy, Helen Ward, Robert Whitchurch and Harry Witmer.

School Board prizes were awarded to Peter Chandler, 1, and Harold Knappett, 2 of Grade 12; Dorothy Laidler, 1, and Edith Benson, 2 of Grade 11; Betty Lahmer, 1 and Joan Greaves, 2 of Grade 10; and Eves Mitchell, 1 and Phyllis Sheen, 2 of Grade 9.

Doris Barnsley won the Women's Institute Medal for the first ranking Grade 8 student and Eleanor Nicholson won the L.O.D.E. prize for the second ranking Grade 8 student. A special prize for science in Grade 12 was awarded to Peter Chandler. Winners of the Students' Council awards were: Cliff Pecknold, best all-round student and Kay Stromkins, Kay Lockley, Sheila Burnett, Harold Knappett, Harry Witmer and Craig Hall.

W. C. Mainwaring, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, and Inspector S. F. M. Moodie, chief warden for B.C.; G. R. Bates and J. A. Clou, North Vancouver and Burnaby controllers, respectively, will attend.

A.R.P. Will Assume Major Disaster In Oak Bay Friday

In the most realistic and intensive air raid practice attempted on Vancouver Island, 500 A.R.P. personnel from the entire south end of the island, Friday evening, will rush to Oak Bay to relieve an imaginary major disaster.

Every regular ambulance of the district will take part in removing 105 casualties from the Willows School, which three R.C.A.F. planes will dive-bomb at 8:30. It will be assumed that previous to this all Oak Bay air raid and fire equipment had been knocked out by a concentrated block-buster attack.

The casualties will be removed to A.R.P. first aid posts and points in Victoria by City, Saanich, Esquimalt, Sidney and View Royal A.R.P. workers.

For the benefit of spectators the grounds of the Willows School will be floodlit during the practice, and activities of the workers will be described over a public-address system.

Army engineers will add to the realism of the test by removing an unexploded bomb from the grounds. Firemen will rush into action to extinguish a blazing building on the school grounds.

Only A.R.P. workers taking part in the practice should wear helmets and armbands, although other personnel are invited to attend as spectators.

Sixty auxiliary police from all parts of the district will be on hand. Spectators will be expected to obey them as they would regular police.

Treating the casualties will be three doctors at the scene of the disaster, while seven other physicians will attend to casualties as they are brought to aid posts.

Directing the test will be A. S. G. Musgrave, Oak Bay A.R.P. controller, and a committee of controllers from Victoria, Saanich, Esquimalt, View Royal and Sidney, and Dr. Boak, Dr. W. P. Walker, Dr. J. S. McCallum and Dr. J. L. Gayton.

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The annual cry to "mail early" is being made by postal authorities in regard to Christmas mail. They urge that mail being sent to the troops overseas, in particular, be sent in good time, because, in many instances, the men are so much farther from home this year.

The very latest that mail should be sent to reach the men overseas by Christmas is Nov. 1, and, if possible, during October. The deadline date has been advanced 10 days over last year.

Citizens are urged not to wait until the deadline to mail parcels because this will mean a congestion and the possibility that shipping space cannot be found for all the parcels. For the same reason everyone is urged to cut down on the size and weight of parcels so that all may be sent in time for Christmas.

Last year, despite the urgent pleas of the post office department, more than 8,500,000 pounds of parcels were received too late for delivery by Christmas.

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Consult your post office for information and regulations for sending gifts overseas.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

OUT at the Willows skating rink a big mystery has been solved. During the week-end, with large crowds at the opening skating sessions, a number of the patrons asked the question: "Where's Brownie this year?" They were referring to a big brown dog of questionable lineage that had been the favorite of skaters ever since Barney Olson opened his new ice rink two years ago. From morning till night Brownie was a familiar sight in the lobby as he played with the youngsters and pestered the grown-ups for portions of their hot dogs or any other delicacy that suited his canine appetite.

To George Mortimore in charge of the concession counter Brownie was not always what might be called popular. He had a familiar habit of putting his big paws up on the counter and begging for "dogs." If that trick failed to work he would waltz around on his back legs in front of the stand until somebody threw him a wiener or two. One thing was certain—Brownie never went hungry, although he might get his food at very irregular times.

When the troops moved into the Willows Brownie experienced a real dog's heaven. When pickings were tough at the Arena he would make a round of the cook houses in the military camp. All last summer Brownie could be seen making his regular visits with the result the big fellow became popular with the officers and members of one particular regiment. Then the day arrived for that unit to move on. Brownie sat around and watched the trucks move off, and there was sad look on his face as his many friends departed. The dog

seemed to know they were not coming back. As the last jeep started to leave the grounds a sergeant opened the car door and called to Brownie. With a leap of joy he bounded into the car and whisked away to parts unknown. So Brownie today is the proud mascot of a famous regiment, and it is certain he is eating regular and having a lot of fun frolicking with a gang of tough Canadian soldiers.

Brooklyn Dodgers are going to set at least one baseball record this season. Manager Leo Durocher has employed eight men at shortstop, an equal number at third base, five at first, and four at second. Looking at the record, one would suspect that Durocher couldn't make up his mind.

With Harold Reese in the navy, Durocher opened by moving Billy Herman from second to third and Vaughan from third to short. That didn't work at all. Albie Glossop wasn't to be compared with Herman as a second baseman and Herman wasn't as good a third baseman as Vaughan, who never belonged at shortstop, although he spent 10 years at the post for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Herman had to return to second, and the shortstopping situation was so desperate that Boyd Bartley was taken from the Illinois University campus in May to fill the key job in the important series with the St. Louis Cardinals. In the club's eagerness to leave the older heads where they fitted best, shortstop was next turned over to Red Barkley, a semi-professional.

Daily Pee Wee Reese's value to the Dodgers has been further stressed.

Seattle Rainiers Train in California

SEATTLE (AP) — Manager Bill Skiff reported upon his return Wednesday from the Pacific Coast League president's cup playoffs that the Seattle Rainiers would do their baseball training in California next spring after a one-season Pacific north-west experiment.

The Rainiers trained last spring at Lewiston, Idaho. Skiff explained that the team has to

travel to California anyhow for the opening series, and there is an abundance of training camp competition in the south, in contrast to its scarcity in the northwest.

BASEBALL DEAL

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — The Sacramento Solons Wednesday announced the purchase of Forest Rogers from Lynchburg, Va., in the Piedmont League. Rogers, who played both infield and outfield for Lynchburg, hit .277 in 128 games during the season just closed.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Battin—Musial, St. Louis, 237.
Boni—Vaughan, Brooklyn, 214.
Home batted in—Nicholson, Chicago, 123.
Hits—Musial, St. Louis, 218.
Doubles—Musial, St. Louis, 47.
Triples—Musial, St. Louis, 26.
Home runs—Nicholson, Chicago, 28.
Stolen bases—Lauhanen, Brooklyn, 20.
Pitching—Cooper, Louisville, 21-8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Battin—Appling, Chicago, 328.
Runs—Case, Washington, 101.
Home runs—in—Vine, Detroit, 114.
Hits—Wakeman, Detroit, 36.
Triples—Lindell, New York, and Moses, Chicago, 11.
Home runs—York, Detroit, 34.
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 36.
Pitching—Chandler, New York, 20-4.

VANCOUVER (CP)—New Westminster Salmonbellies, back on the trail of the Mann Cup they have held many times before, defeated Vancouver Burrards 11 to 8 Wednesday night to take the Intercity Box Lacrosse League final four games to two and win the right to meet Patricia Bay R.C.A.F. in the British Columbia lacrosse final starting at New Westminster Saturday night.

The B.C. final for the Kilmarock Cup will be a best-of-three series, with the winner meeting the eastern finalists for the Mann Cup at New Westminster.

It was one of the tightest games of the playoffs, and the teams went to the third quarter before Salmonbellies took the

lead by a one-goal margin. Both scored two goals in the opening quarter and were deadlocked to 3 at the half.

The third quarter ended with the Fishmen one up, 6 to 5, but Burrards were unable to stem Salmonbellies five-goal closing rush.

Highlight of the game was a fight between Roy Cavallin of Burrards and John Raitt of Salmonbellies in the fourth period. Both players were banished for the remainder of the stanza.

Bradford led Burrard scorers with four goals. Bill Dickinson and Jim Douglas were the stars for Salmonbellies, both scoring three.

WINNIPEG (CP)—It's a long cry from the hockey rink to the gridiron, but four Winnipeg ladies are proving that it's not so. They are AC1. Paul Platz, LAC. Andy Branigan, LAC. Sammy Lavitt and AC2. Alf Pike.

Royals also played home run music in the nightcap, Eva Macdonald and Lena Surkowski cracking one each, good for three runs, enough to win the game, in the first and fourth.

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NO MONOPOLY

But Winnipeg doesn't hold a monopoly on hockey players of proven ability, and held down jobs in professional hockey before they became members of the R.C.A.F.

Platz held down a wing for Chicago Black Hawks, Branigan toured the big league hockey lanes playing defence for Red Dutton's Brooklyn Americans, Lavitt was a top-notch player with Dallas in the now defunct American Association, and until the spring Pike was a forward and defenceman with Lester Patrick's New York Rangers.

This fall all four have donned the rugby moleskins with Reg Threlfall's Winnipeg R.C.A.F. bombers in the Western Interprovincial Rugby Football League, and have shown they are just as adept on the gridiron as they are on the hockey rink. Branigan ran for two touchdowns when the

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18 New Players With Los Angeles Club

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Determined to be a factor in the 1944 Pacific coast baseball race, the Los Angeles club has acquired 18 new players from major and minor leagues.

Stu Martin, second baseman; pitchers Bob Bowman, Jake Mooy and outfielder Bob McColl have been obtained from the Chicago Cubs in part payment for Andy Pafko, John Ostrowski, Bill Schuster, Billy Holm, Red Lynn, Roy Hughes and Jodie Phipps, all Angel stars, who have been turned over to the Cubs.

The Angels also got pitchers Dick Conger and Antoine Karl from the Phillies in payment for Ken Raffensberger, pitcher, and outfielder Rip Russell.

President Clarence Rowland previously had announced the acquisition of 12 minor league players for spring delivery. They come from various class B clubs.

Karl, a southpaw, was with Brooklyn and Philadelphia; Conger was recalled by the Phils from Montreal; Martin has been with the Cubs all season; Mooy won nine and lost six with Nashville; McColl won five and lost five with Nashville, and Bowman won seven and lost two for Milwaukee.

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Southworth is not alarmed over Cooper's condition, and he believes he will respond to seven days' rest.

Cooper also is confident his shoulder soreness will disappear. He's determined and eager to get another crack at the Yankees despite the shellacking they gave him a year ago.

Southworth may switch to a southpaw because he reasons that Yanks are experiencing some difficulty in hitting left-handers. He may decide to open with Lanier, who has won 15 out of 22 starts.

Southworth realizes he must

choose the opening game pitcher with careful deliberation. That is because if the starter wins, he could come back again in the fifth game in St. Louis. If the series went seven games, he also could start in the seventh and final game.

Winnipeg Bombers Score Second Win

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DETROIT (AP) — Detroit Red Wings announced on Wednesday that scout Carson Cooper will assist manager Jack Adams in preparing the club for defence of its National Hockey League title, succeeding Eddie Goodfellow who is employed in a war plant.

Goodfellow, who coached Detroit last year after an illustrious playing career, said he had not been notified of the change.

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Select Major Ball Players for Tour Of Pacific Area

NEW YORK (AP)—The big leagues Wednesday picked a pair of 18-player squads for the post-season exhibition trip to American troops in the Pacific.

Managed by Frankie Frisch, the Pittsburgh Pirates' pepper-pilot, and Joe Cronin of the Boston Red Sox, the all-star collections include the year's batting bosses in both loops—Stan Musial of the St. Louis Cardinals and Luke Appling of the Chicago White Sox; the American League's No. 1 elbow, Spud Chandler of the Yankees, and the season's home run champ, Rudy York of Detroit's Tigers.

The two outfits will leave for the Pacific war theatre as soon after the world series as the War Department gives them the green light.

The two squads follow:

American League—Pitchers: Spud Chandler, New York; Dutch Leonard, Washington; Tex Hughson, Boston; Dizzy Trout, Detroit; Orval Grove, Chicago; Allie Reynolds, Cleveland. Catchers: Bill Dickey, New York; Rollie Hemmings, New York; Jake Early, Washington. Infielders: Rudy York, Detroit; Bobby Doerr, Boston; Joe Gordon, New York; Luke Appling, Chicago; Bill Johnson, New York. Outfielders: Charley Keller, New York; Pte Fox, Boston; George Case, Washington; Stan Spence, Washington.

National League—Pitchers: Truett Sewell, Pittsburgh; Johnny Vander Meer, Cincinnati; Bucky Walters, Cincinnati; Al Javerry, Boston; Al Gerheuser, Philadelphia; Hal Bithorn, Chicago. Catchers: Walker Cooper, St. Louis; Ray Mueller, Cincinnati; Lou Klein, St. Louis; Elbie Fletcher, Pittsburgh; Eddie Miller, Cincinnati; Bob Elliott, Pittsburgh; Dick Bartell, New York. Outfielders: Stan Musial, St. Louis; Vince DiMaggio, Pittsburgh; Augie Galan, Brooklyn; Dixie Walker, Brooklyn; Ducky Medwick, New York.

TICKET office manager J. J. Goldschmidt of St. Louis Cardinals looks a bit overwhelmed as mailman Ed DeLargy, left, and Ben Carneal pour thousands of cheques for World Series baseball reservations on his desk. Following three games at Yankee Stadium, Oct. 5-6-7, show moves to St. Louis, Oct. 10.



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Durocher Given Walking Ticket

Gets Outright Release From Brooklyn Club

The baseball season may be closing, but the open season on managers is just starting.

In fact, it might be said to have begun Wednesday when Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, announced that he was giving Leo Durocher his outright release as player-manager, but might later consider him for a bench manager.

Before making his announcement Rickey watched the Dodgers score nine runs in the eighth inning to beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 14 to 7 and out Pittsburgh from third place in the standing.

St. Louis Cardinals clipped the Boston Braves 3 to 2 for the Red Birds' 19th triumph in 22 games with the Braves this year but rookie Alpha Brazile was unimpressive even in gaining his eighth victory. He gave nine hits, walked six and fanned only one.

Johnny Vander Meer pitched the Cincinnati Reds to a 3 to 0 decision over the Phillies with a four-hit performance and the New York Giants battled 14 innings to a 3 to 3 draw with the Chicago Cubs.

The Washington Senators clinched second place in the American League by cutting down Cleveland twice in a twight-night doubleheader 5 to 2 and 7 to 4. This will be the first time in seven years the Senators have finished in the first division.

YANKEES SPLIT

The New York Yankees and Chicago White Sox split a pair of shutouts with Bill Dietrich winning 3 to 0 for the Sox in the first game in a pitching duel with Lefty Mariano Russo and Charley Wensloff retaliating with a 4 to 0 whitewashing in the nightcap during which Joe Gordon notched his 16th homer and second in two days.

Detroit divided a doubleheader with Philadelphia, the A's taking the first game 8 to 2 behind the seven-hit hurling of Jesse Flores and the Tigers coming back to win the afterpiece 9 to 1 with Paul (Dizzy) Trout pitching a six-hitter for his 19th triumph.

Vernon Stephens with two homers beat the Boston Red Sox 4 to 3 in 13 innings for the St. Louis Browns in the first half of a double-header, but the second game ended in a 3 to 3 draw when darkness halted play after nine innings.

Mel Hein Returns To Football Wars

NEW YORK (AP) — Mel Hein, for the last dozen years the greatest centre in the National Professional Football League, Wednesday notified New York Giants he is coming back for his 13th season in the league.

He announced his retirement at the end of last season to become coach at Union College in up-state New York, but Union dropped football for the duration and Hein confessed to the Giant front office that he again felt the "itch" to play.

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C. L. Burton Here From Toronto

C. L. Burton, president of Simpson's Ltd., and chairman of the National War Services Advisory Board, arrived in Victoria Wednesday afternoon from Toronto. He is accompanied by Mrs. Burton, Robert H. King, manager of Simpson's, Montreal, Ltd., and Mrs. King.

Remaining on the island until Sunday when they will take the 4:15 T.C.A. plane eastward, the party plans a fishing trip as a pleasurable break in the business tour.

Discussing the work of the National War Services organization, Mr. Burton said it was the duty of the board to advise the minister regarding the funds spent on the entertainment of the troops and to recommend certain moneys for various war services organizations which carry on such fine work in the interests of the armed forces.

The board takes an active part in the study of all national campaigns for war services and war charities.

T. S. Dixon, Vancouver, is the B.C. member of the board, and

30 Days for Assault

Frank P. Ellis, merchant sailor, who Tuesday pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting Jack Willings, occasioning grievous bodily harm, was sentenced today to one month hard labor. Struck several times, Willings went through a plate glass window, suffering a four-inch gash on the back of the head and slight concussion.

Candied and Glaced Fruits Unrationed

All maraschino cherries, whether glazed or in cartons or other containers, have been removed from the ration list, it was announced this morning by the ration administration.

All glazed or candied fruits, including candied peel, are unrationed, officials said.

The pureed baby fruits, as well as "junior foods" containing fruit are rationed, 10 ounces to a coupon. This includes the "homogenized" pureed baby fruits which include combinations of several fruits.

According to Mr. Burton he is doing a fine job, having visited all the troop encampments on the west coast.

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TOWN TOPICS

City firemen Wednesday evening attended a small roof blaze at 759 Queen's Avenue, and a chimney fire at 846 Yates Street.

What city police described as a bomb was found floating in the water near the foot of Robert Street in Victoria West Wednesday. Through a plate glass window, suffering a four-inch gash on the back of the head and slight concussion.

A meeting of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers will be held Friday evening at 8 in Trades Hall, 602 Broughton Street. Colin Cameron, M.L.A., will speak.

Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie, D.S.O., inspector-general, western Canada, Edmonton, arrived in the city Wednesday on a routine inspection of west coast military areas.

A request for a grant to help meet expenses was received at the City Hall today from the Victoria Schools Band which appeared at several civic-sponsored functions.

Found guilty of charge laid under the Wartime Leasehold Regulations, Mrs. Evelyn Plitt, Atkins Road, Langford, was fined \$10 and \$2.50 costs in provincial police court Wednesday.

Police today returned several pigeons which Wednesday Mrs. R. Mason, 2637 Quadra, had reported stolen. Mrs. Mason said she did not wish to take any action against two youthful cut-throats.

Councillor R. Angus was appointed chairman of the Oak Bay committee on postwar rehabilitation, which will work in conjunction with a committee from the city of Victoria. Other members of the committee are Councillors W. M. Walker, P. A. Moir and Reeve W. L. Woodhouse.

The Kipling Society held its first meeting of the fall season in the Union Building clubrooms Tuesday evening, A. E. G. Cornwell presiding. Mrs. A. Fryer read "The Woman in His Life," and Mrs. J. W. Church "The Rhyme of the Three Captains." A reading club was formed.

Lease forms covering the agreement by the city to rent premises at 1219 Wharf Street to the Department of National Defence, were received at the City Hall today. According to them the city would secure a rental of \$35 a month and expend \$1,000 in improving the premises.

Feature of the regular weekly luncheon of the Lions Club held in Spencer's dining-room Thursday was a musical program arranged by Frank Tupman. Mrs. Gwen Brown and Arthur Stringer were soloists, and Mrs. W. B. Milburn was accompanist. Cliff Carl, first vice-president, was in the chair.

Theft of a bag of groceries containing five pounds of sugar, a pound of butter and a three-pound pork roast was reported to city police today by Mrs. T. Kraus, 1717 Blanshard Street, who said the articles were taken from her baby buggy while she was shopping at Douglas and Pandora.

John V. Johnson, president of Victoria Chamber of Commerce, took part in an international discussion on the Alaska Military Highway and its future in peace at Portland today. The discussion was broadcast by CBC in Canada and Mutual in the United States. Geo. L. Warren, secretary of the chamber, is also in Portland.

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Flower Show plus Victory Garden show of vegetables, Crystal Garden, Friday, all Saturday. ***

Frank Foyston, Star Of Hockey, Visitor

Marking his first visit in 17 years to the city where he enjoyed his greatest hockey success, Frank Foyston, member of the Victoria Cougars, world's professional champions in 1924-25, was in Victoria today.

Still as debonair as the days when he was the scourge of goalies, Foyston was renewing a lot of old friendships. He will return home tomorrow.

In recent years Foyston has been located at Long Lake, near Fort Orchard, Wash., where he is the proprietor of a 15-acre turkey ranch with an annual production of 3,000 birds.

Following the season of 1925-26 Foyston went to Detroit with the other members of the Cougars where he remained for four seasons as a player and manager with the Red Wings and Olympics. He then shifted to Syracuse as a manager and from there took up a manager's job with the New York Bronks. Returning to the Pacific Northwest, Foyston was manager of the Seattle Coast League club for four years.

Although not connected with the sport Foyston still retains a great interest in hockey. "I never miss a game on the Canadian radio network every Saturday night from Toronto," he said. "As a matter of fact it would surprise you the number of people in our state who listen to Foster Hewitt's broadcast."

Foyston intends to return to Victoria this winter to see one of the Army-Navy hockey games at the Willows Arena.

St. Ann's Academy Holds Commencement

Rev. Monsignor A. G. Baker, V.G., asked students and graduates of St. Ann's Academy to remember the lessons of loyalty and justice learned at the school in "this difficult world," as he gave the address at the annual commencement exercises at the academy Wednesday evening.

To the Processional, played by Eleanor Edwards, Audrey Keyt and Arden Myers, the graduating class, gowned in white gowns and with white caps, took their places on the stage in front of the high school choir of 60.

The Salutatory was read by Loretto Lineham, president of St. Ann's Student Council. Verna Moore gave two vocal solos, and the class poem was read by Catherine Shaw. The choir sang twice. Gloria Haines rendered two piano solos.

Sister Mary Dorothea, provincial prefect of studies, read the list of graduates who were presented with their certificates by Monsignor Baker. The special honors were also presented.

Winnifred Morgan and Theresa Leahy gave the valedictory. Miriam Lineham, president of the class of 1943, called the graduates to pledge "that they would endeavor to uphold the lesson learned at St. Ann's Academy during the years to come."

Honors of senior graduation from St. Ann's Academy were awarded Catherine Maude Shaw and Helen Mary Vandendriessche.

Honors of scholastic achievement were awarded Ruth Mary Collyer, Joan Ellen Danes, Marie Louise Donovan, Joan Mary Eddy, Norma Elizabeth Gemmill, Mabelle Jean Lawrence, Theresa Rose Leahy, Miriam Eleanor Lineham, Winnifred Evelyn Morgan, Jean Elizabeth Robertson and Helen Margaret Stewart.

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City Taxable Assessment For 1944 Raised \$738,012

Despite annual reductions on improvements for obsolescence and loss of taxable values through governments taking over properties formerly under city jurisdiction, Victoria's aggregate net assessment for 1944 stands at \$13,803,300, against \$13,521,950, making the gross exemptions \$20,304,971, against \$20,122,516 for 1943.

With exemptions deducted, land assessment for 1944 stands at \$18,661,317, compared to \$18,570,245 on the year's roll, and improvement totals stand at \$29,398,160, compared to \$28,751,820.

The combined figures show taxable values to be \$48,060,077 for 1944, against \$47,322,065 this year. Included in both are net assessments on the Empress Hotel, which pays a fixed sum in lieu of taxes.

A comparison shows that while the gross assessment of land for 1944 is \$7,223 below that of this year, the exemptions have been cut \$98,895, leaving a favorable balance. Drop in exemptions is caused chiefly through transfer of reverted property, on which the city collects no taxes, to private ownership.

Made Lone Foray And Now Missing

Col. W. A. Fraser Back in England

Col. W. Alan Fraser has returned overseas in charge of No. 12 Canadian General Hospital, according to word received by his wife, who resides at 3175 Terra Place. He was in the city about a month ago on leave. Col. Fraser, who was formerly in command of the Esquimalt Military Hospital, first went overseas a year and a half ago with No. 16 Canadian General Hospital and for 15 months was in charge of surgery at a Canadian base hospital, handling both Canadian wounded and civilian bombing casualties.

Need Bigger Houses To House Workers

LIEUT. A. O. NEWBERRY Hope that her husband, Lieut. Albert Oswald Newberry, may be safe, although a prisoner of war, is conveyed to Mrs. Frances L. Newberry, 237 Wildwood Avenue, by his commanding officer, Lieut. Newberry has been missing in Sicily since July 31.

The letter, signed by Capt. Howard Mitchell, follows: "It happened to be at Agira July 31. We had been in position for some time in a back area. Newberry was doing his turn in the O.P., from which he would see the battle, although we were not taking part. He was due to go on duty at 13:00 hours. The day before he had noticed something, and at 10:30 asked me if he might go on the motorcycle for an hour. I agreed, and he set off alone shortly after. I have not seen or heard of him since. When he was overdue we sent out patrols to search for him. We made inquiries at all the aid posts and about the motorcycle without finding any trace of him.

If he had been wounded or killed, word should have come through by now. It seems to me that he must have been taken prisoner of war. If that is so, you should hear of him in time. Our experience with the Germans on this front has been that they treat our wounded and prisoners very well. If Ossie is a prisoner I'm sure he will be well taken care of. I shared a cabin with him on the boat coming to Sicily. During that time I got to know him well. He was extremely popular with the men."

2 Years for Theft

James Ross was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and James Edmond Denman was allowed suspended sentence with provision for bond of \$500 in his own recognizance, following speedy trial before Judge H. H. Shandley today on a charge of stealing a \$115 Electric Seal coat from David Spencer Ltd., Sept. 7.

Both were convicted after a defense of drunkenness to such a degree they were incapable of forming intent to steal had been submitted.

"Apparently you've spent most of your life in jail," Judge Shandley remarked. "It might well be you were leading a Dene man astray," he added, noting Ross had been the man seen leaving the store with the coat under his arm.

The judge noted Denman had not been in trouble before and had been rejected when he applied to join the army owing to a chest complaint. On those grounds he allowed him suspended sentence, directing the accused to report monthly to the chief of police for the next six months and to secure a \$500 bond. Suspension of sentence was allowed with the approval of the Attorney-General.

After the war he returned to Canada and lived for a time in Saskatchewan. In 1939 he enlisted in the navy, joining the fishermen's reserve, with which he had served since war broke out.

WASHINGTON (AP) — War casualties of United States armed forces have reached approximately 115,000.

War Secretary Henry Stimson announced today that army casualties to date total about 85,000, while figures announced by the navy department placed naval casualties at 30,162.

The registrar of companies in the B.C. Gazette this week is advising 800 B.C. companies that unless they comply within two months with the regulations of the Companies Act and file complete returns they will be struck from the list of companies.

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It contains very nice large living-room, open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, laundry room, four lovely, large, bright bedrooms and sewing room upstairs. Separate bathroom and toilet. Garage, pretty gardens at front and rear. Ideally appointed and situated home. Ready to move into, no redecorating or repairs. Early possession. Price, clear title, \$5500.

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A RETREAT—1½ acres of virgin Vancouver Island, covered over 1,000 feet of Witching Waters Creek with pools and falls—a veritable sylvan Paradise. A well-built, frame one-roomed cabin with all conveniences and with running water and sink installed. 45 minutes drive from Victoria. Price only \$1500 or, with almost 5 acres, \$1100.

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One suite occupied by owner—either-rented at \$30 per month. Hot-air furnace. Double garage. Located in high part of Gorge.

\$4650

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on next Wednesday, 7-room house in high location. House being painted at present. Excellent basement with furnace, garage.

\$4000

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Very comfortable four-room bungalow, close to transportation. Living-room with open fireplace, two nice beds, separate kitchen and paneled ceiling basement with door opening out on to good vegetable garden; furnace. Quick possession expected.

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Capture of Naples Provides Sea Base;**Backs Up Foggia**

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP) — Capture of Naples by the Allies will complement perfectly the earlier seizure of the Foggia air centre.

Naples' great harbor is big enough to accommodate a tremendous marshalling of force and may become the main fleet, supply and ground force base for the campaign in Italy, as Foggia may become the main air base for a drive up the peninsula or into the Balkans.

Meanwhile, the slow pressure against the Germans promised

today to give to the Allies soon the substantial island base of Corsica. From there and from Sardinia they can threaten the seaward flank of the enemy.

Gen. Montgomery's thrust northward along the Adriatic also poised a flanking threat today to the Germans' next possible defence position along the Volturno River, some 20 miles north of Naples.

The 8th Army was not encountering any resistance worthy of the name, and was expanding rapidly on the plain of Foggia, which is now almost entirely under Allied domination.

The steady and studied developments of invasion bases across the Adriatic from the Balkans was illustrated by the capture of Manfredonia on the spur of the boot, a fairly important seaport.

After being grounded several days by bad weather, Allied air forces Wednesday attacked rail and highway bridges heavily within a 25-mile radius east, northeast and north of Naples.

The approaches to the bottleneck bridge at Castelvenere on the Naples-Benevento road were ripped up in one of these forays.

The Middle East Air Force announced new bombings of enemy

B.C. Alberta Ex-M.L.A Nelson Spencer Dies

mer Conservative member of the British Columbia and Alberta Legislatures, and one-time mayor of Medicine Hat, Alta., died in hospital here today.

Born near Moncton, N.B., Lt.-Col. Spencer lived most of his life in the west. For many years he lived in Medicine Hat, Alta., where he was mayor in 1912 and 1913.

Lt.-Col. Spencer was elected to the Alberta Legislature for Medicine Hat in 1913 and re-elected in 1917. In 1928 he was elected from Vancouver as a member of the British Columbia Legislature.

During the first Great War he went overseas in command of the 175th Battalion, which he had recruited and organized in 1915. Besides his wife, two sons and two daughters survive him.

83 Taken in Round-up

TORONTO (CP) — Eighty-three men were arrested here Wednesday in a series of police raids designed to round up violators of Selective Service regulations. Charges were laid against 11, eight for failing to produce registration cards, two for failing to register and one for having loose gasoline coupons.

Industrials Higher

TORONTO (CP) — The industrial stocks pushed along to higher price levels, the golds were a bit heavy, and other groups held fairly steady in today's trading on the Toronto exchange. Trading was around 385,000 shares.

Steep Rock was under selling pressure in the early hours, but the offerings were absorbed, and in the final hour the price tightened to show a small net gain for the day.

Golds had mixed gains and losses. Higher prices ruled in the industrial section for the senior oil and food stocks.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Aluminum pfd.	100	101%
Beauty Bros. A	125	126%
Bell Telephone	155	156%
B.H. Oil	22	22%
Borden A	21	21%
Bristolian Traction	17	17%
Burlington Steel	19	19%
Canadian Pacific Railway	11	11%
Canada Steamship pfd.	35	35%
Farmers & Merchants	29	30%
Fairchild A	24	24%
Fairchild Power & pfd.	34	34%
Imperial Oil	16	16%
Inland Steel	17	17%
Inter. Metal Indus. 6% pfd.	17	17%
Do. A	15	15%
Inter. Petroleum	23	23%
Inter. Steel	22	22%
Montreal L. H. & P.	25	25%
Boeing Hersey Tube	100	101%
Boeing & P.	16	16%
Steel of Canada	65	65%
Hiram Walker, G. & W.	55	56

	Bid	Asked
Allied Chemicals	15	15%
American Can	85	86%
American Carb. and Light	8	8%
American Smelter	30	30%
American Smelting & Ref.	15	15%
American Waterworks	15	15%
Ansonia Copper	26	26%
Autonord: Ills.	6	6%
Austin-Healey	60	61%
B. and O. Railway	16	16%
Baldwin Locomotive	16	16%
Bethlehem Steel	58	58%
Boeing Aircraft	29	29%
Boeing Warner	36	36%
Canadian Pacific Railway	9	9%
Cerro de Pasco	28	28%
C. & O. Railway	21	21%
Chrysler	81	81%
Columbia Gas	4	4%
Com. Elec. & Gas	22	22%
Cont. Can.	22	22%
Crucible Steel	24	24%
Douglas Aircraft	1	1%
Du Pont	14	14%
Erie Railroad	45	45%
General Electric	35	35%
General Motors	143	143%
Goodrich, B. & P.	42	42%
Goodyear Tire	42	42%
Great West. Sugar	24	24%
Inter. Harvester	11	11%
Intr. T. & T.	11	11%
Johns-Manville	23	24%
Kennecott Copper	90	90%
Kerr Addison	96	97%
Kirkland Lake	7	7%
Lake Shore	15	15%
Lamique	58	58%
Leitch Gold	115	117%
Lake of the Woods	127	129%
Maden Red Lake	139	141%
McIntyre	87	88%
McLeod Red Lake	128	130%
McLeod Cockshut	228	235%
Macassa	378	385%
Malaric Goldfields	178	240%
Maple Corp.	210	215%
Nipissing	158	210%
Noranda	5050	5100%
O'Brien	107	108%
Pamour Porcupine	120	128%
Pend Oreille	28	28%
Petron Gold	180	185%
Petrol. Crow	82	82%
Pewell Carbon	113	115%
Premier Gold	110	114%
Preston East Dome	223	225%
Sask. Royalties	388	398%
Sheep Creek	93	100%
Sheriff Gordon	87	92%
Sherritt Gordon	83	86%
Sladen Malaric	55	58%
Steele Rock	266	269%
Sullivan	138	139%
Syrup	340	340%
Teek Hughes	320	320%
Upper Canada	171	175%
Vermont	179	180%
Waite Anuet	530	530%
Wright Hargraves	330	330%

	Bid	Asked
Wheat	152	153%
Wheat—1 northern	108-4	107-3
Oats—2 gw. 31-1 track 51-4	106-4	105-1
Oats—2 gw. 31-1 track 51-4	107-4	106-7
Rye—2 cw. 106, track 106	106	106

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L. Carlson Elected

Leander Carlson was elected trustee for the balance of the school year in place of Capt. Ernest F. Le Quesne, who has been transferred to Vancouver.

Mrs. T. Millward was elected delegate to the South Vancouver Island district conference in Victoria, Oct. 18 and 19 by the Langford Women's Institute. Alternates are Mrs. V. Franklin and Mrs. Roy Crocker.

Meeting Tuesday, the Institute heard Mrs. J. S. McLachlan report on her visit to the mainland Institutes. Mrs. B. F. Gunnnow, president of the provincial board was a visitor.

Packers Give Strike Vote

ST. BONIFACE, Man. (CP)—Production employees of Canada Packers Ltd. in a ballot Wednesday under supervision of Harris S. Johnstone, regional labor officer, voted in favor of going on strike if the company continues to refuse recognition of their union.

An employees' representative said the men, members of the United Packinghouse Workers, Local 216 (C.I.O.), had voted 916 in favor of a strike against 30 who opposed the move.

No statement was available from union officials, the regional labor office or the company as to the next step. No decision was made as to when the strike would be called.

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Launch Full Moon Safe at Prince Rupert

PRINCE RUPERT (CP)—The 50-foot motor launch Full Moon, unreported since Sept. 18 on a southward cruise with four persons aboard, was safe in this port today, but minus her rudder.

She crept into the harbor Wednesday night at slow speed with a jury rudder after losing her own, while R.C.A.F. planes, provincial police launches and fishermen searched for her. The planes sighted and reported her making port.

The four aboard, Dr. William S. Kergin, his wife and two children—Mary Margaret Bulger and Peggy Fullen—told how the yacht had dropped her rudder and shoe while making a sharp turn when leaving southerly Porcher Island last Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Kergin went ashore and hewed an emergency rudder from timber on the island. After two attempts he fitted the emergency steering gear and the little vessel began the long voyage back under slow speed.

All aboard were safe and well, and none the worst for their experience.

New Cariboo Bishop

KAMLOOPS (CP)—Rev. Frederick Stanford, 60, English-born former rector at interior Wells-Barkerville, Wednesday was consecrated fourth Anglican Bishop of Cariboo, succeeding Rt. Rev. Samuel Pollinger, who died last April.

Most Rev. Walter R. Adams, D.D., Archbishop of Kootenay and Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia, officiated at the consecration ceremony, attended by church dignitaries, members of the clergy and laymen from all parts of the province.

He was assisted by Most Rev. A. U. de Pencier of Vancouver, former Archbishop of New Westminster; Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia, and Rt. Rev. Sir Francis Heathcote, Bishop of New Westminster. Preacher at the service was Rev. H. R. Archbold of Duncan, B.C.

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Flier Goes East

PO. NORMAN, Severide, 20, who recently left for the east on general reconnaissance. Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Severide, Westland, B.C., he was educated at Westland public school and Langley Prairie High School. He was well-known in Victoria, being employed for some time at the Empress Hotel.

After receiving his wings, PO. Severide paid a short visit to his sisters, Mrs. Alex Bell and Mrs. Harold Doh, 3066 Scott St.

Uncle Ray

Peking, or Peiping, Is Old Centre of Chinese Power

China has a city with two names—Peking and Peiping. Peiping was adopted as a new name 14 years ago, but the old name has not been forgotten. For hundreds of years the city was called Peking and was the capital of China.

This great Chinese city was founded at about the same time as Rome. More than 2,500 years have rolled by since it first became a centre of life.

About 1,200 years ago, the city was captured by an army of Tartars, and later it fell into the hands of the Mongols.

The two most famous of the Mongol rulers were Jenghiz Khan and his grandson, Kublai Khan.



A street scene at one of the inner gates of Peking.

Kublai Kahn was on the throne when Marco Polo made his trip into eastern Asia. He visited the palace of the khan, and became an officer of the government.

Before Columbus sailed across the Atlantic, the Mongols lost their power. Chinese armies defeated them in battle, and a Chinese emperor took over the city. He seems to have been the first to call the place "Peking." The name means "Northern Capital."

The Chinese held control of Peking until the Manchus invaded their country. The Manchus became masters of the empire in 1643, just three centuries ago. Their emperors used Peking as their capital until the present century.

From that long and changing history we might expect the city to show signs of the past—and it does. One part of it is known as the "Tartar City," and there are great walls around it.

The walls of the Tartar city are 20 feet high and are wide enough for four automobiles to pass along the top. They are made of bricks, stone and earth, and are cut by nine gateways. There are other walls with a height of from 30 to 50 feet.

A different section of Peking, or Peiping, is called the "Forbidden City." In this part of Manchu emperors had their palaces. The common people were forbidden to enter the area, and few white persons saw it until after the year 1900.

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An old superstition holds that when five bees come buzzing around your head, they are supposed to bring you luck.

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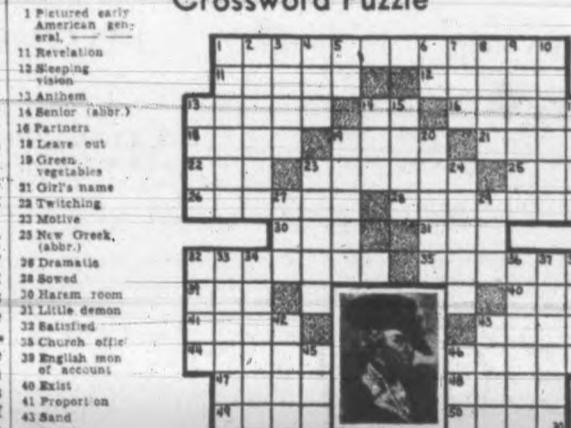
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6:00	News—KIRO. Evening Hall—KOMO. Evening Serenade—CBR. Major Bowes—KIRO. KNX. Glen Miller—CJVL. News—KJR at 6:15.	News—CKWX. Fighting Navy—CBR. Yes Tell 'Em—KOL. Dinner Bell—CBR. Fred Brady Show—KOMO. Spotlight Band—KJR.
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10:00	News—CBR. Kris Kringle—CJVL. Town Meeting—KJR. News—CBR.	News—CBR. Kris Kringle—CJVL. Town Meeting—KJR. News—CBR.
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60 to 200 Hours to Convert Milady As 'Winnie the Welder'

It takes from 60 to 200 hours, not continuous, to convert a willing student into 'Winnie the Welder,' according to officials of the Dominion Provincial War Emergency Training program, who are turning out shipyard workers at a rate of about 100 a month at the centre operating in the Victoria Public Market Building.

Engine fitting is taught in another department, in which women are showing an increasing aptitude in a field once foreign to them.

That doesn't mean the fledglings who try their wings in the shop and swing into routine flight on specialized jobs at the yards are first class, generally experienced welders. It takes from five years up to be an all-round man or woman in that field. But the streamlined course offered without cost and, in some cases, with premium, does provide manpower and womanpower to meet the qualifications required for specific jobs.

The courses in arc and acetylene welding take three months at the school. After another three months in the yards, the initiate is qualified to grade as a union welder, competent to handle the specific job assigned to him or her.

OBJECTIVE

The work the school does is briefly this: Shipyards are clamoring for help with particularized skill in certain fields. The school provides that skill, not general, but enough to avoid costly waste in training and mistakes on the job. It also introduces the green hands to a trade, giving them the basis on which to build if they wish to develop their talents to a greater degree.

About 25 per cent of the students enrolling at the Market Building are women. As students they compare very favorably with the men.

They learn their trades, or the rudiments of them, under experienced men. No charge is made for tuition. In certain instances allowances are made to help them support themselves and their families while they are in training. The allowances run from \$7 to \$18 a week.

Away from the bright lights of the welding school, other students learn marine wiring. One group specializes on freighters, another on corvettes. In upstairs quarters they learn how to twist and identify the lead-covered cables through grills and around frames similar to those on ships. In a general classroom they gain instruction through sketches and lectures.

In an associated department they learn something of the theory of electricity, a course directed towards giving them a better understanding of the mechanical operations they conduct.

LEARN HOW

In still another department inexperienced help is taught how to read blue-prints, how to identify hull and machinery sections by diagram. They learn the technical terms and conventional language of mechanical construction, and are in a position to know what a foreman is talking about when they are transferred to a shipyard.

Shipwrights, the men who

Presiding at Jubilee



HUGH J. MCINTYRE,
Editor of the Saanich Peninsula and Gulf Islands Review, Sidney, president of the B.C. Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers' Association, who will preside at the three-day "Silver Jubilee" Convention of the association which opened today.

City Night School To Open Tuesday

Victoria's wartime night school, with courses slanted to current needs and adapted to assist wartime economy, will open Tuesday evening.

Registrations will be taken at the classrooms, mainly in Victoria High School.

Classes will meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings each week from 7:30 to 9:30 and will be divided into two terms lasting 10 weeks each.

No fees will be collected for any course with a registration of less than 12 students. Should that number not be reached by Oct. 7, the course will be withdrawn.

For the remainder of this week the director, George Anstey, will be at the School Board Office, City Hall, from 4:30 to 5 each afternoon to provide information for any wishing to secure data on the courses.

Subjects include elementary and advanced bookkeeping, shorthand and typing, typing, Spanish, High School continuation, practical mathematics, dress appreciation, dressmaking, home cooking, carpentry and joinery, diesel engineering, stationary and marine engineering, machine construction and technical drafting, sheet metal drafting, and armature winding. The last three mentioned courses are conducted in quarters apart from High School, machine construction and technical drafting and sheet metal drafting classes being held at Central School and armature winding at 1212 Langley Street.

Arrangements have also been made for a special day class in dressmaking on Friday afternoons, starting at 3 in the High School.

Prob. Sub-Lt. Allen T. Lambert, R.C.N.V.R., Victoria, a recent graduate of King's College of Officers' training centre, Halifax, September, 1942.

Tomorrow, Noon to 9 p.m. All Saturday, Chrysanthemum Show, Crystal Garden, south hall.

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